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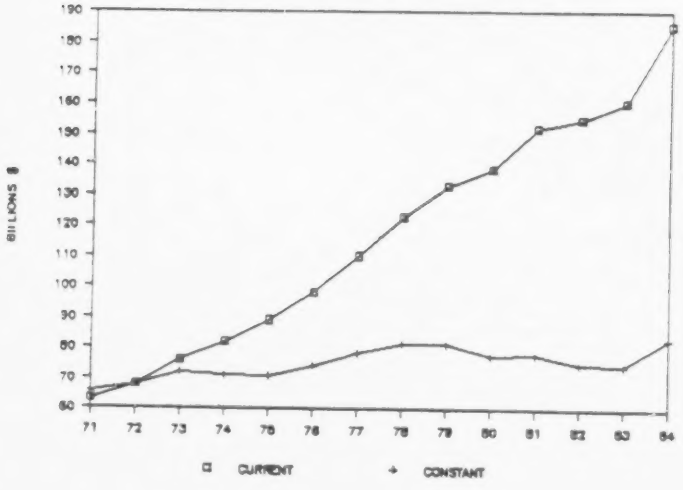
ILLINOIS GROSS STATE PRODUCT

GROSS STATE PRODUCT ANNUALLY



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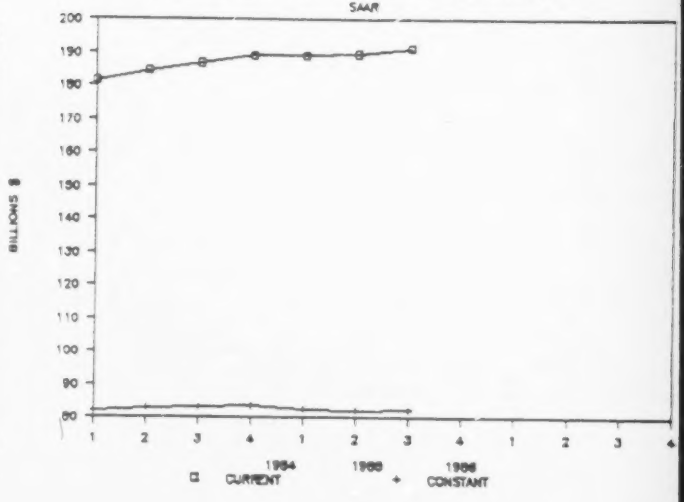


ANNUAL
(millions)

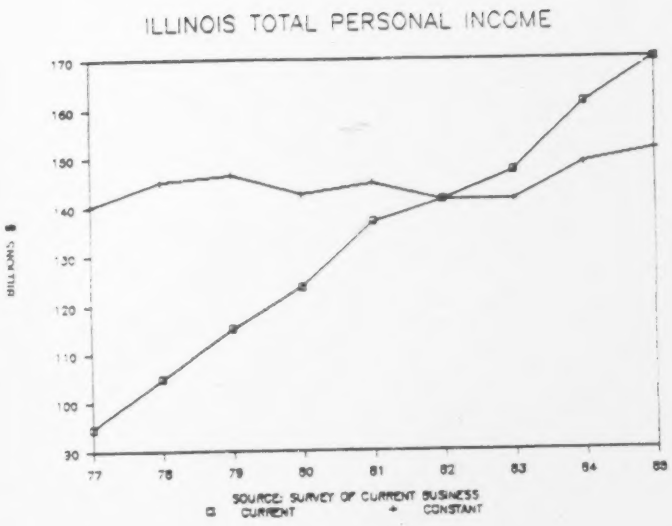
Year	Current	Constant (1982=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	Constant $ Percent Change U.S.
1971	63,278	65,901	0.4	3.4
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8
1974	81,929	71,193	-1.3	-0.6
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.6	-1.2
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.7	-0.3
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.5
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-2.1
1983	160,567	74,564	-0.5	3.6
1984	185,660	83,106	9.5r	6.5
1985				2.2
1986				2.6, 2.5**
1987				2.6, 2.6**
1988				2.7, 3.1**

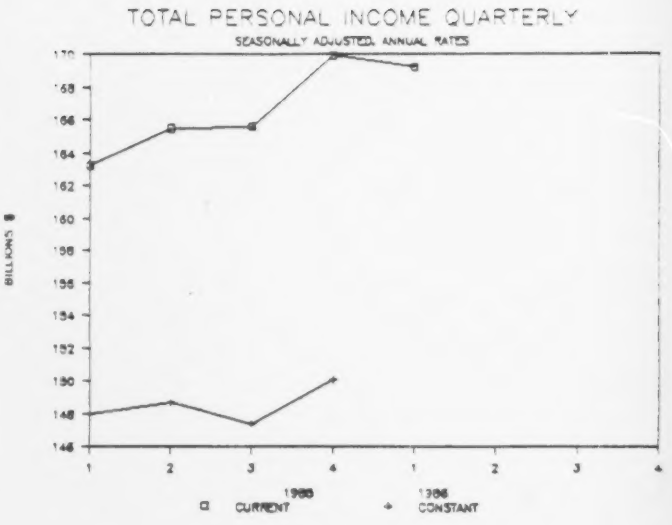
QUARTER*
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate Ill.	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate U.S.r
1984r				
I	181,438	82,255	--	9.8
II	184,617	83,011	3.7	5.0
III	186,883	83,218	1.0	2.3
IV	189,131	83,649	2.1	1.5
1985r				
I	189,059	82,533	-5.2	3.7
II	189,620	82,238	-1.4	1.1
III	191,322	82,441	1.0	3.0
IV				2.1
1986				
I				3.8
II				0.6
III				2.8

p - preliminary r - revised (New methodology makes these numbers not comparable to previous years)
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Chase Econometrics Forecast (AUGUST), Data Resources Forecast (SEPTEMBER).
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

ILLINOIS TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME





ANNUAL

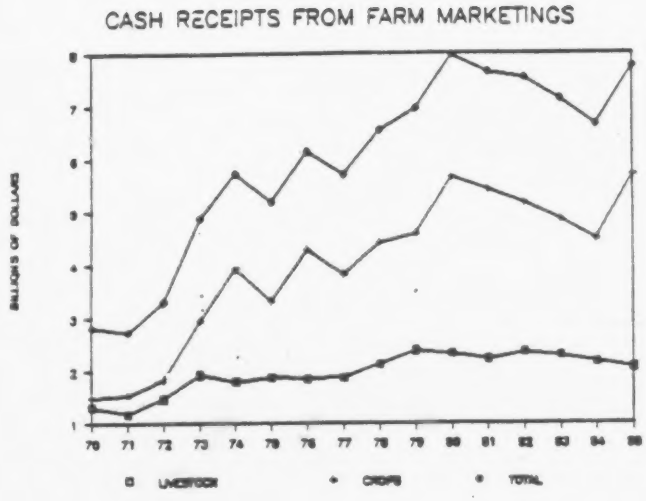
Year	Amount (millions) Current	Amount (millions) Constant**	Percentage Change Current ILL.	Percentage Change Current U.S.	Percentage Change Constant ILL.	Percentage Change Constant U.S.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income ILL.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income U.S.
1977	$ 94,740	$140,356					$ 8,306	$ 7,789
1978	104,850	145,222					9,170	8,133
1979	115,247	146,625					10,089	9,025
1980	123,774	142,597	7.4	11.0	-2.7	0.8	10,819	9,910
1981	136,995	144,815	10.7	12.2	1.6	3.5	11,940	10,940
1982	141,483	141,483	3.3	-6.4	-2.3	0.6	12,326	11,470
1983	147,215	141,281	4.1	6.3	-0.1	2.1	12,811	12,093
1984	161,118	148,633	9.4	9.6	5.2	6.4	13,984	13,114
1985	169,999	151,245	5.5	6.6	1.8	2.8	14,738	13,867
1986				4.9, 5.5***				
1987				6.0, 5.6***				
1988				6.6, 6.6***				

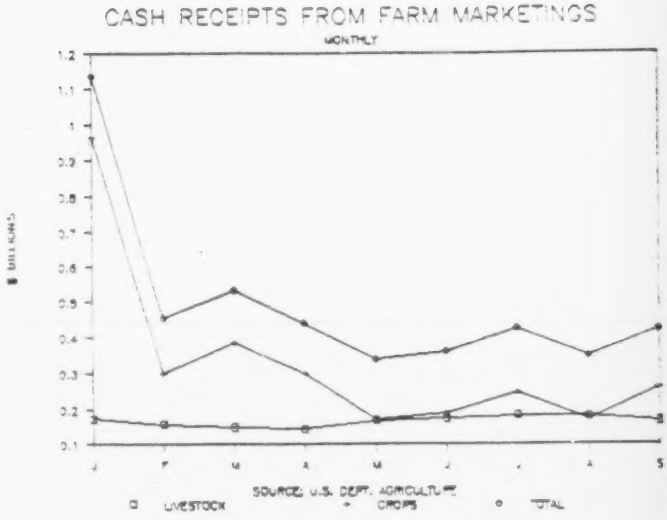
QUARTER

	Amount* ($ millions)	% Change at Annual Rates ILL.	% Change at Annual Rates U.S.
1985 CURRENT			
I	163,275	2.8	6.2
II	165,481	5.5	4.0
III	165,608	-0.3	2.6
IV	169,938	11.1	4.8
1985 CONSTANT			
I	148,028	2.6	3.5
II	148,680	1.8	0.3
III	147,385	-3.8	0.5
IV	150,111	7.5	0.5
1986 CURRENT			
I	169,220	-1.7	4.7
II			
III			
IV			
1986 CONSTANT			
I			
II			
III			

r - revised
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1982=100).
***Chase Econometric Forecast (AUGUST), Data Resources Forecast (SEPTEMBER).
SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ILLINOIS
CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS





Year	ANNUAL (millions) Livestock	Crops	Total	Total Percent Change ILL.	U.S.
1970	1,314	1,496	2,810	1.2	4.9
1971	1,188	1,548	2,736	-2.6	4.8
1972	1,488	1,832	3,319	21.3	15.7
1973	1,923	2,959	4,882	47.1	42.3
1974	1,799	3,933	5,731	17.4	6.1
1975	1,873	3,320	5,193	-9.4	-4.6
1976	1,847	4,290	6,134	18.1	7.4
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.1	0.8
1978	2,127	4,430	6,556	15.1	16.9
1979	2,383	4,584	6,967	6.3	17.1
1980	2,321	5,650	7,971	14.4	5.9
1981	2,225	5,420	7,645	-4.1	2.6
1982	2,368	5,169	7,537	-1.4	-0.1
1983	2,295	4,847	7,142	-5.2	-3.2
1984	2,173	4,482	6,655	-6.8	7.2
1985	2,063	5,704	7,767	16.7	---
1986					

1986 Month	MONTH (millions) Live-stock	Crops	Total	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	U.S.
Jan	172	965	1137	+14.3	6.3
Feb	156	298	454	-3.6	-0.1
Mar^{p}	148	385	533	-16.5	--
Apr	143	298	441	-10.5	-0.1
May	167	171	338	-17.9	0.2
June	173	188	361	-25.6	-0.2
July	182	244	426	-28.8	-0.1
Aug	180	169	349	-13.6	-5.6
Sept	166	258	424	-16.2	-8.3
Oct					
Nov					
Dec					

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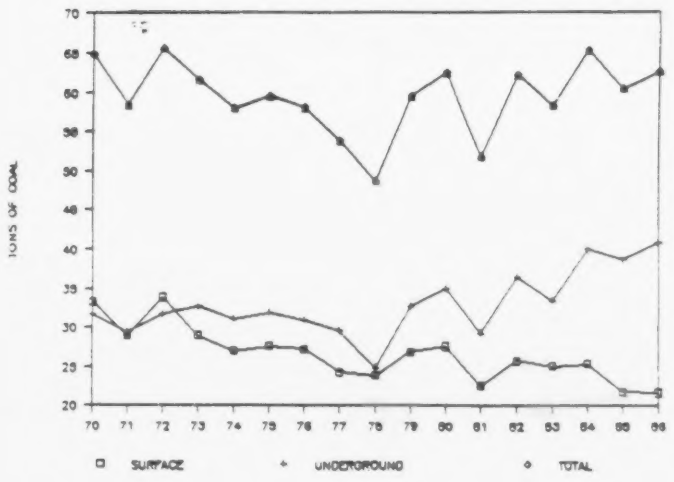
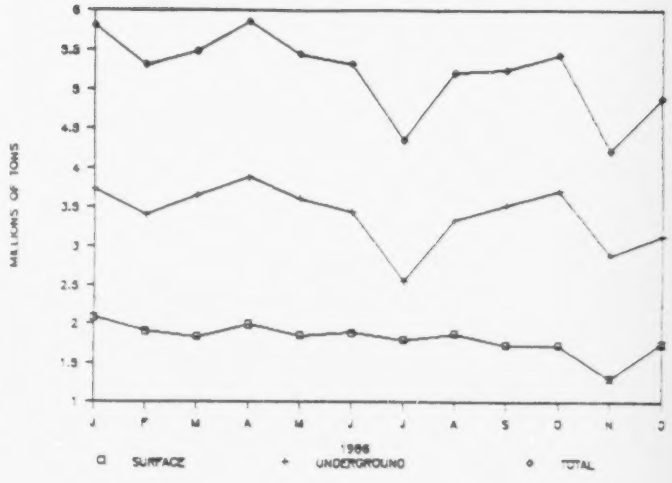
SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION

COAL PRODUCTION ANNUALLY



COAL PRODUCTION MONTHLY



ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415[s]	10.6
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744[s]	7.3
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799[s]	6.3
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4
1983	25,003	33,370	58,373	7.5
1984	25,344	39,945	65,289	7.5
1985	21,829	38,648	60,477	7.1
1986[p]	21,721	40,888	62,609	-

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

Month	TOTAL 1985	1986 SURFACE	1986 UNDERGROUND	1986 TOTAL
Jan	5,620	2,079	3,734	5,813
Feb	5,098	1,905	3,403	5,308
March	5,258	1,825	3,660	5,485
April	5,196	1,990	3,876	5,866
May	5,266	1,845	3,611	5,456
June	4,750	1,883	3,442	5,325
July	4,269	1,794	2,560	4,354
Aug	5,384	1,876	3,349	5,225
Sept	5,193	1,730	3,524	5,254
Oct	5,714	1,734	3,706	5,440
Nov	4,389	1,307	2,894	4,201
Dec	4,633	1,753	3,129	4,882

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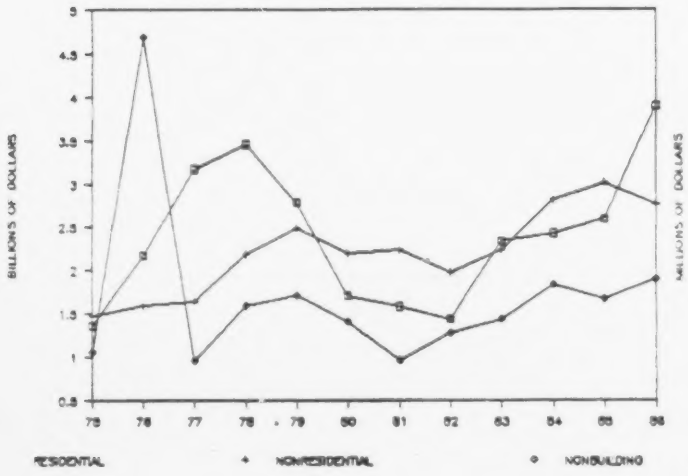
s - Affected by major strike activity.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION

CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION ANNUALLY



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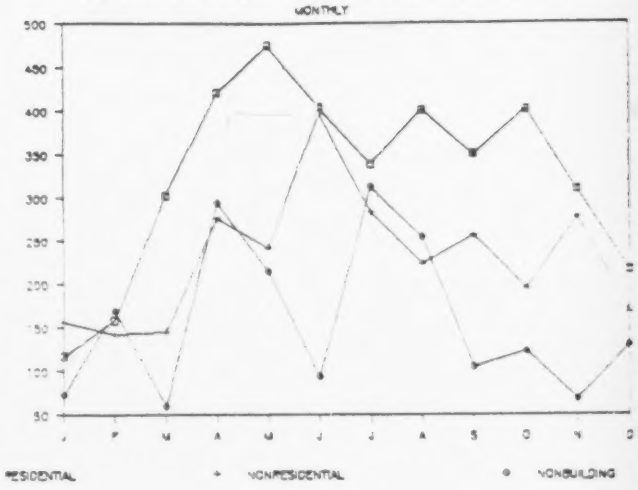
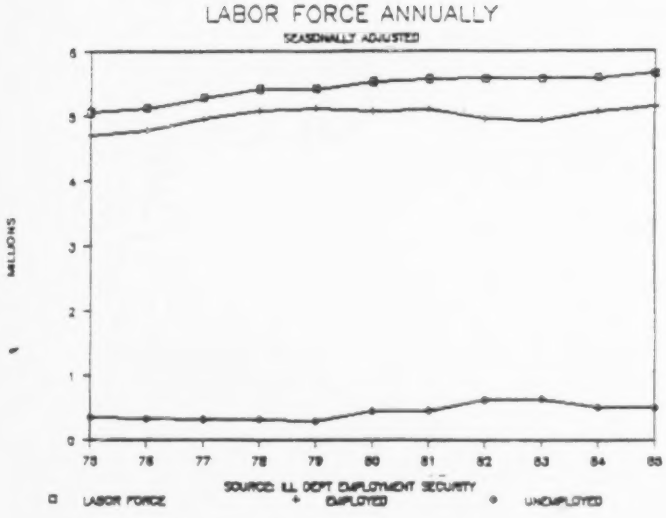


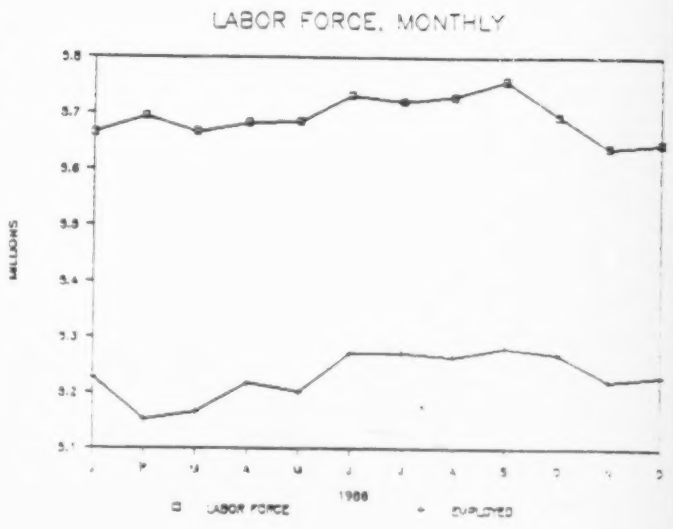
Year	ANNUAL (millions) Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Current Amount	Constant Amount**	Current Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1975	1,363	1,482	1,062	3,907	1,988	-10.7	-1.1
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4
1985	2,607	3,027	1,667	7,301		5.6	5.8
1986	3,901	2,767	1,900	8,568		5.0r	4.0r
1987							

1986 Month	MONTH (millions) Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Amt.	TOTAL Cumulative Year-to-Date Ill.	U.S.
Jan	$117	$157	$73	$347	-12	-10
Feb	158	142	169	469	+24	--
Mar	303	145	60	508	-10	-3
Apr	422	277	295	995	+65	--
May	476	242	215	933	+21	--
June	404	398	94	896	+41	+4
July	340	284	314	938	+34	+4
Aug	402	224	255	881	+30	+5
Sept	351	257	105	712	+29	--
Oct	402	195	122	719	+23	--
Nov	310	279	68	657	+23	+4
Dec	216	167	130	512	+20	--

*Construction generally begins about 6 months later. r - revised
***Dodge Forecast (March, 1986). **Figure under Illinois is actually for North Central SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED





ANNUAL (thousands)

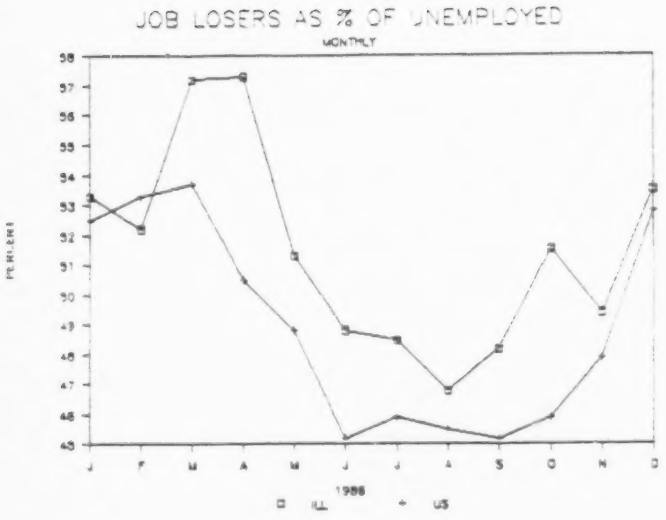
Year	ILLINOIS Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Percent**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2
1985	5,673	5,160	513	146.1	3.3

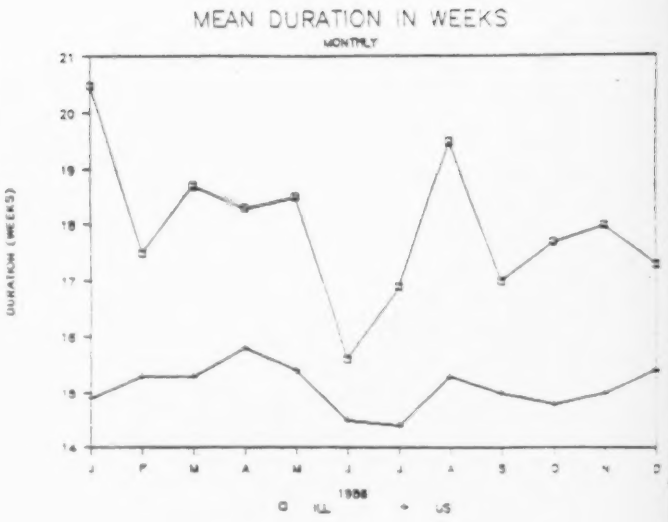
MONTH* (thousands) 1986

Month	ILLINOIS Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Per**
Jan	5666	5228	438	170.9	3.8
Feb	5694	5151	543	179.3	4.0
Mar	5667	5165	502	171.5	3.8
Apr	5683	5217	466	152.9	3.4
May	5685	5201	484	134.0	3.0
June	5733	5273	460	131.6	2.9
July	5722	5273	449	133.5	2.9
Aug	5732	5266	466	119.3	2.5
Sep	5760	5283	477	112.6	2.3
Oct	5695	5270	425		
Nov	5639	5222	417		
Dec	5646	5231	415		

*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.
**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY REASON AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT





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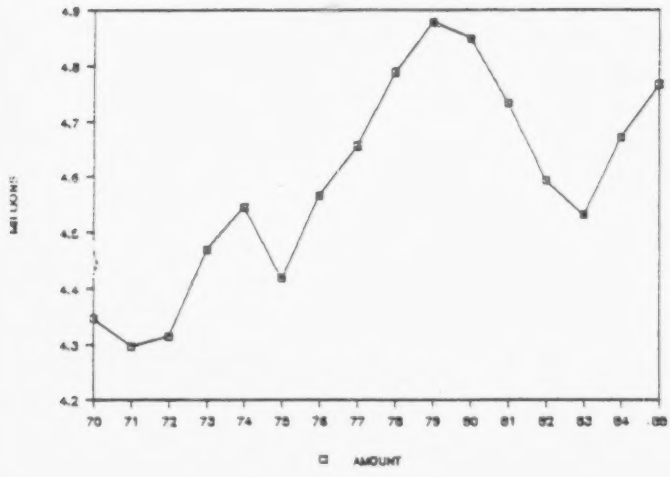
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Job Losers as Percentage of Unemployed												
ILL	53.3	52.2	57.2	57.3	51.3	48.8	48.5	46.8	48.2	51.5	49.4	53.5
U.S.	52.5	53.3	53.7	50.5	48.8	45.2	45.9	45.5	45.2	45.9	47.9	52.8
Mean Duration (in weeks)												
ILL	20.5	17.5	18.7	18.3	18.5	15.6	16.9	19.5	17.0	17.7	18.0	17.3
U.S.	14.9r	15.3	15.3	15.8	15.4	14.5	14.4	15.3	15.0	14.8	15.0	15.4
ILLINOIS												
Number of Unemployed(000's)												
Job Losers	258.9	297.8	294.2	265.4	240.5	238.5	219.1	212.2	216.6	213.4	193.7	209.0
Job Leavers	40.0	49.8	31.1	46.0	36.3	49.2	55.4	66.2	46.9	35.9	59.0	52.4
Reentrants	114.5	145.3	117.5	126.0	120.6	111.2	95.7	117.1	139.5	123.7	89.9	67.7
New Entrants	72.7	77.1	71.3	71.8	71.0	90.4	81.8	57.9	45.6	41.1	49.6	62.4
TOTAL	486.1	570.0	514.1	509.2	468.4	489.3	452.0	453.4	448.6	414.1	392.0	391.0
Duration(000's)												
Less than 15 Weeks	320.7	398.5	320.0	347.2	336.8	350.5	308.5	352.9	302.1	298.6	271.3	281.8
15 Weeks and Over	165.4	171.5	194.1	162.0	131.6	138.8	143.5	100.5	146.5	115.5	120.7	109.2

r - revised *Not seasonally adjusted
SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

TOTAL NONAG EMPLOYMENT ANNUALLY



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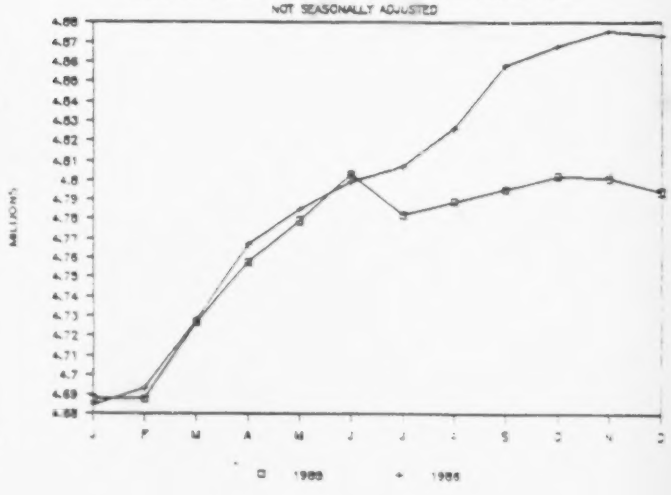


Year	ANNUAL (thousands) Amount	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	4,346	-1.1	0.5
1971	4,296	0.4	3.5
1972	4,315	3.6	4.2
1973	4,470	1.7	1.9
1974	4,546	-2.8	-1.7
1975	4,419	3.3	3.2
1976	4,566	2.0	3.9
1977	4,656	2.9	5.1
1978	4,789	2.0	3.6
1979	4,880	-0.3	0.8
1980	4,850	-2.3	1.8
1981	4,732	-2.9	-1.7
1982	4,593	-1.4	0.6
1983	4,531	3.1	4.7
1985	4,767		
1986			

Month	MONTH* (thousands) 1984	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	U.S.
Jan	4,544	4,688	4,685	0.0	-1.4
Feb	4,564	4,688	4,693	0.1	-1.2
Mar	4,588	4,727	4,728	-9.6	-1.3
Apr	4,620	4,758	4,767	0.2	-1.1
May	4,667	4,779	4,785	0.1	-1.2
June	4,698	4,803	4,799	0.0	-1.4
July	4,702	4,782	4,808	0.5	2.7
Aug	4,709	4,789	4,826	0.8	2.5
Sept	4,719	4,795	4,858	1.3	2.3
Oct	4,754	4,802	4,868	1.4	2.4
Nov	4,771	4,801	4,876	1.6	2.5
Dec	4,733	4,794	4,873	1.6	2.5

r - New March, 1985 benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY*
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

	1984	1985	1986* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	27	29	26	25	26	26	26	27	27	27	26	26	26	26
Construction	155	181	152	147	156	172	183	190	205	205	204	201	198	188
Manufacturing	997	981	963	965	966	964	959	961	960	960	963	958	960	959
Transp. & Publ Util.	278	277	273	272	272	272	273	268	273	273	276	275	275	273
Wholesale & Ret. Trade	1148	1168	1163	1152	1157	1168	1180	1184	1193	1193	1204	1216	1224	1233
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	322	338	337	337	338	340	342	344	349	349	345	345	345	346
Services	1058	1100	1093	1100	1108	1112	1117	1127	1148	1148	1140	1137	1139	1136
Government	688	693	679	694	705	713	704	698	671	671	700	708	710	713
TOTAL	4672	4767	4686	4692	4728	4767	4784	4799	4826	4826	4858	4868	4876	4873

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

	1983	1984	1986* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Construction	108	124	106	103	108	118	126	130	135	137	138	121	120	113
Manufacturing	691	680	666	667	667	666	662	665	668	658	661	563	561	561
Transp., & Publ. Util.	192	201	201	200	201	201	202	204	203	203	205	188	189	189
Wholesale & Retail Trade	775	827	831	822	826	829	835	842	842	843	843	747	755	767
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	247	258	261	261	262	264	266	269	863	272	268	251	251	253
Services	776	826	823	826	832	836	843	852	859	870	859	767	769	768
Government	398	412	415	420	422	422	423	410	413	403	415	358	362	363
TOTAL	3189	3331	3206	3301	3320	3339	3359	3375	3386	3389	3392	2997	3009	3016

*Data are not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan; 1985 Bi-Meds, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet. March, 1985 benchmark date for annual averages and monthly statistics.
p - preliminary, r - revised. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S*
DECEMBER, 1985 AND 1986

(thousands)

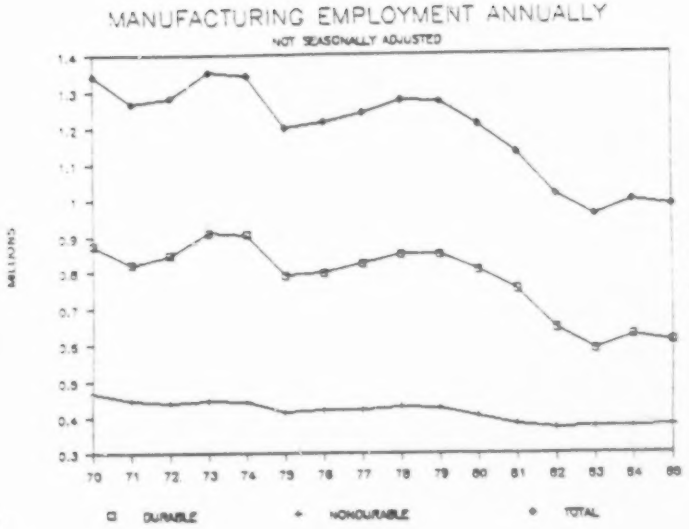
Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985
Construction	1.2	1.2	2.0	1.9	4.6	4.6	1.7	1.6	1.2	1.2	5.5	5.6	3.6	3.5	2.5	2.5
Manufacturing	4.6	3.9	7.5	7.3	28.4	31.9	13.8	14.9	5.3	5.1	30.1	31.3	45.3	45.0	3.7	3.8
Durable goods	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.2	19.9	23.4	7.1	8.0	2.3	2.2	24.6	25.4	39.1	38.7	1.6	1.7
Nondurable goods	2.2	1.5	5.2	5.1	8.5	8.5	6.7	6.9	3.0	2.9	5.6	5.9	6.2	6.3	2.1	2.1
Trans & Public Utilities	2.9	3.2	2.0	2.3	7.9	8.0	4.3	4.4	1.4	1.4	6.5	6.5	4.4	4.4	4.6	4.7
Wholesale Trade	2.3	2.3	4.2	4.2	10.2	10.3	1.5	1.5	2.1	2.1	7.0	7.0	6.4	6.4	3.7	3.6
Retail Trade	10.5	10.6	15.3	15.2	30.8	31.0	10.2	10.0	6.1	6.1	26.7	26.9	21.3	21.0	15.0	15.2
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	8.8	8.7	2.6	2.6	7.4	7.3	2.5	2.6	1.6	1.6	7.1	6.8	5.0	4.8	7.8	7.6
Services	10.8	10.6	13.0	12.8	28.6	28.3	10.0	9.8	8.0	8.0	30.5	30.2	23.2	23.1	22.2	22.3
Government	12.1	11.5	33.4	32.7	26.8	27.2	5.5	5.3	6.6	6.6	15.6	15.6	12.3	12.1	31.5	30.7
Total Non-agricultural employment	55.3	52.0	80.0	79.0	144.7	148.6	49.6	50.3	32.3	32.1	129.1	129.9	121.5	120.3	91.1	90.5

Data are not seasonally adjusted.

*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1985 benchmark date.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT



ANNUAL (thousands)

Year	Manufacturing Employment Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.1	-0.6
1982	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6
1983	584	372	956	-6.1	-0.9
1984	623	374	997	4.3	5.3
1985	605	377	981	-1.5	-
1986	-	-	962	-	-

MONTH* (thousands)

Month	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	U.S.
Jan	989	963	-2.6	-1.4
Feb	988	965	-2.3	-1.2
Mar	987	966	-2.0	-1.3
Apr	981	964	-1.7	-1.1
May	982	959	-2.3	-1.2
June	988	961	-2.7	-1.4
July	980	960	-2.0	-0.7
Aug	980	960	-2.0	-0.6
Sept	977	963	-1.4	-0.6
Oct	977	958	-1.9	-0.6
Nov	974	960	-1.4	-0.5
Dec	971	959	-1.2	-0.5

p - preliminary r - revised New March, 1985 Benchmark
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
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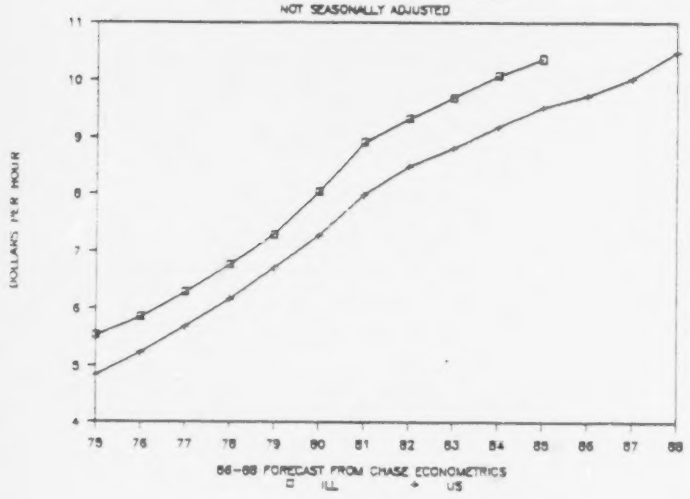
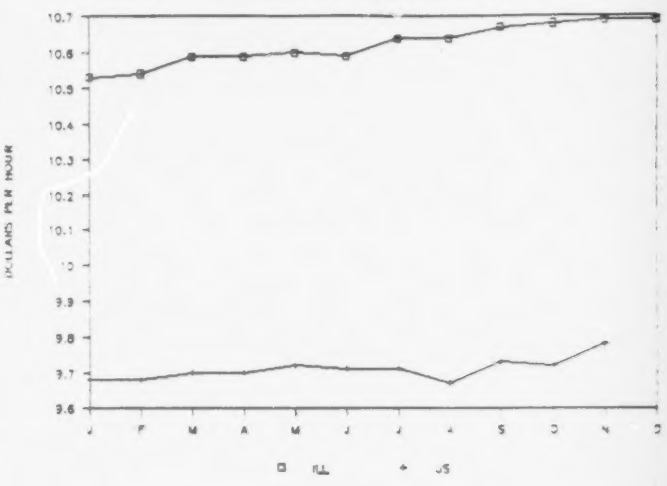
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING

AVERAGE HOURLY WAGES



AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS

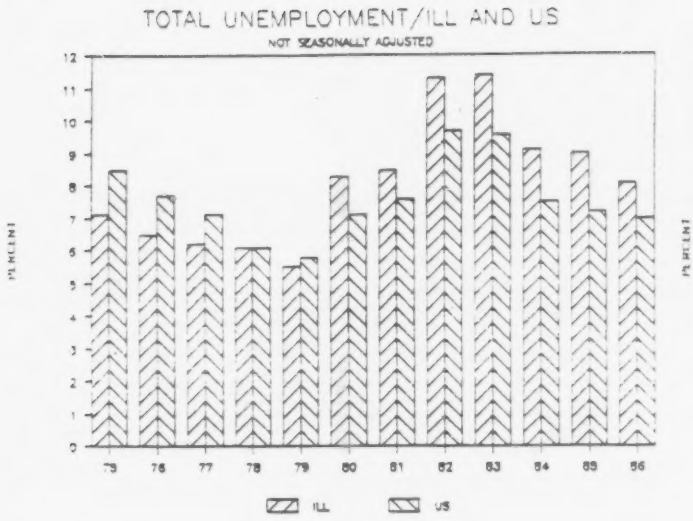


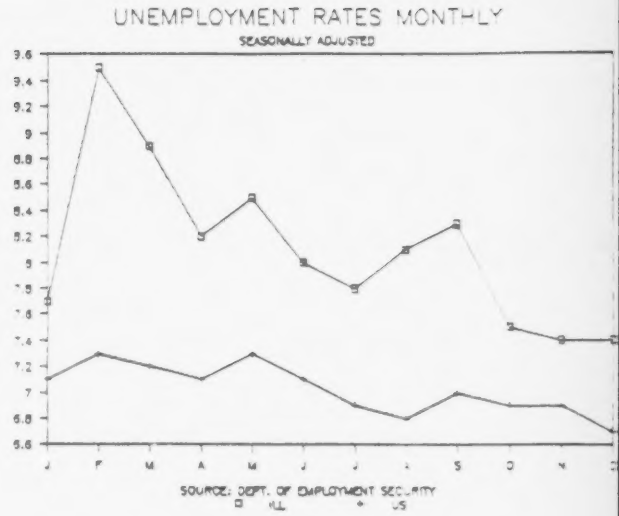
Year	Average Weekly Hours	ANNUAL Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
1975	39.7	219.13	5.53	4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.98	10.08	9.18
1985	40.6	421.13	10.37	9.53
1986				9.73**
1987				10.02**
1988				10.49**

1986 Month	Average Weekly Hours	MONTH* Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
Jan	40.7	$428.57	$10.53	$9.68
Feb	40.1	422.65	10.54	9.68
Mar	40.9	433.13	10.59	9.70
Apr	40.6	431.01	10.59	9.70
May	40.7	431.42	10.60	9.72
June	40.8	432.07	10.59	9.71
July	40.7	433.05	10.64	9.71
Aug	41.0	436.24	10.64	9.67
Sept	41.2	439.60	10.67	9.73
Oct	41.0	437.88	10.68	9.72
Nov	41.0	438.29	10.69	9.78
Dec	41.3	441.50	10.69	--

*Data are not seasonally adjusted. March, 1984 Benchmark for 1984 annual data;
**Chase Econometrics Forecast. March, 1985 Benchmark for 1985 annual and 1986 monthly data.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE





	YEAR PERCENT							MONTH TOTAL				
	ILLINOIS			U.S.				ILLINOIS		U.S.		
Annual	Total	White	Black	Total	White	Black	Month	1986*	Seasonally Adjusted 1986	1986*	Seasonally Adjusted 1986
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9	Jan	8.6	7.7	7.3	7.1
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1	Feb	10.1	9.5	7.8	7.3
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1	Mar	9.1	8.9	7.5	7.2
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9	Apr	8.2	8.2	7.0	7.1
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3	May	8.2	8.5	7.0	7.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1	June	8.4	8.0	7.3	7.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6	July	7.8	7.8	6.9	6.9
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9	Aug	7.9	8.1	6.6	6.8
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5	Sept	7.8	8.3	6.7	7.0
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9	Oct	7.3	7.5	6.5	6.9
1985	9.0	6.9	24.7	7.2			Nov	6.9	7.4	6.5	6.9
1986	8.1			7.0			Dec	7.0	7.4	6.2	6.7
1987				7.0, 7.3**							
1988				6.9, 7.0**							

*Data not seasonally adjusted.
**Chase Econometrics Forecast (AUGUST), Data Resources Forecast (SEPTEMBER).
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug[p]	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1982	7.9	6.8	7.3	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.7
1983	7.8	9.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.1	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.1	7.3
1984	6.7	7.9	7.3	8.1	6.9	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.4	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.4
1985	6.3	7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.6	6.6	6.1
1986		6.4	7.5	7.0	5.9	6.2	5.7	5.1	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.7	4.8
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1982	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.8	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4
1983	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.5	6.9	7.1	5.3	5.3	5.6	6.0
1984	6.0	7.3	6.7	7.1	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.4
1985	5.6	6.4	6.0	4.9	5.5	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.3	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.2
1986		5.4	5.9	5.4	4.8	4.6	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.3	3.9	4.1	4.1
CHICAGO AREA:													
1982	10.6	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	10.5	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	8.7	8.5	8.5
1984	8.3	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.3	7.4	7.6
1985	7.7	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.0
1986		7.3	8.6	7.9	6.9	6.8	7.0	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.9	6.4	6.3
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	15.8	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	16.9	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	9.2	8.5	8.5
1984	14.0	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	7.4	7.6
1985	12.8	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.0
1986		13.7	15.5	13.1	11.9	10.6	10.7	10.4	11.8	12.0	9.9	9.3	9.5
DECATUR: MSA													
1982	15.6	12.3	12.3	12.9	11.8	17.7	15.4	16.1	19.2	16.2	16.5	18.3	17.7
1983	14.9	18.7	19.0	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.5	15.2	13.8	12.1	11.3	11.4	11.3
1984	10.3	12.9	12.0	12.6	10.4	9.6	9.4	10.2	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1
1985	10.8	10.9	10.8	9.7	11.1	11.2	10.9	10.6	10.9	10.9	11.1	11.3	10.5
1986	10.8	10.8	12.7	11.6	11.1	11.5	11.1	10.5	12.0	11.1	9.7	9.1	8.6
PEORIA: MSA													
1982	13.9	9.8	10.7	10.7	11.4	11.9	16.1	16.2	14.9	16.1	16.8	18.3	17.5
1983	16.0	18.4	19.3	17.5	16.4	16.1	18.4	16.6	15.9	14.2	13.3	12.9	12.7
1984	11.3	14.5	13.4	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.6	10.1	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.7
1985	11.1	12.1	11.5	10.3	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	10.7	10.5	11.0	10.8	9.8
1986		10.1	11.6	10.5	9.2	9.3	9.2	8.5	8.7	9.4	7.7	7.5	7.9
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1982	16.5	11.9	15.3	12.3	15.1	18.8	19.3	19.3	18.5	16.0	20.6	21.3	17.5
1983	14.2	20.0	17.1	16.2	15.2	14.3	15.2	13.7	12.8	11.1	10.8	13.6	10.3
1984	9.4	11.4	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.7
1985	9.8	10.0	9.9	8.7	10.2	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.1	9.8	10.6	10.1	9.0
1986		9.5	10.8	9.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.5	8.6	8.9	8.5	8.1	7.8
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1982	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.7	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.8	7.9	9.4	9.8
1983	8.3	9.7	10.3	9.8	9.0	8.8	9.2	8.1	7.9	6.7	6.6	6.6	7.4
1984	7.0	8.3	7.7	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.8	6.0	6.6
1985	6.7	7.8	7.3	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.1	6.4	6.7	7.4	6.8
1986	5.9	6.8	8.0	6.9	6.0	5.7	5.8	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.1
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	7.7	11.1	11.7	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.2	12.8	11.7	12.9	12.4	13.2	13.5
1983	8.3	14.7	14.8	13.0	12.2	12.4	14.0	13 0	12.6	11.2	10.4	10.4	10.5
1984	7.0	12.8	12.1	12.6	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.8	10.2	8.8	9.5
1985	6.7	11.6	11.3	9.2	10.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.6	9.4	9.8	10.4	9.3
1986		9.7	11.9	10.3	8.9	9.2	9.8	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.2	8.0	7.7

NOTE: For Kankakee and Lake County PMSA data see county. *Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Dept. of Employment Security. p - preliminary / r - revised
**Data for years prior to 1985 are for standard metropolitan statistical areas. Chicago Area from 1985 is defined as an average of rates for the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora and Joliet.

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE*

COUNTY	1984	1985	1986 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Adams	11.0	11.4	10.6	13.6	11.2	9.4	9.7	9.6	9.5	8.9	8.8	8.4	7.6	7.7
Alexander	25.7	24.7	23.7	28.2	25.9	23.1	21.3	22.0	19.7	19.2	17.8	17.6	17.4	19.7
Bond	11.9	12.1	12.4	16.2	13.5	11.2	10.7	11.2	12.0	9.5	10.1	8.7	9.2	10.3
Boone	7.9	9.9	9.6	10.8	10.3	9.5	8.5	8.0	7.5	7.1	6.4	6.4	6.5	7.2
Brown	9.6	9.6	9.3	10.7	10.4	8.5	6.9	6.2	7.0	6.4	5.1	4.3	6.5	7.7
Bureau	9.8	10.0	10.6	13.1	11.8	10.6	9.2	8.8	8.2	7.6	7.3	6.8	7.5	8.4
Calhoun	21.5	21.1	28.3	34.1	29.8	23.3	20.0	19.2	16.0	15.9	14.7	17.9	16.6	19.5
Carroll	8.1	12.8	11.0	13.1	11.6	10.4	9.5	9.2	8.6	8.5	8.2	7.4	8.0	8.0
Cass	9.8	7.6	11.0	12.7	11.1	9.5	8.8	8.8	8.5	7.6	7.6	8.1	9.3	9.7
Champaign	6.0	5.5	5.4	5.9	5.3	4.8	4.6	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.3	3.9	4.1	4.1
Christian	10.9	9.7	9.8	11.1	9.6	8.5	9.0	8.9	8.1	9.2	8.0	7.6	8.5	9.3
Clark	15.9	14.9	15.3	18.8	17.2	13.9	13.5	12.6	11.7	11.6	10.0	10.3	11.2	11.7
Clay	15.2	14.9	14.6	18.9	18.4	16.5	16.3	16.1	14.5	14.1	12.9	12.3	12.6	12.6
Clinton	10.9	10.9	10.8	14.1	11.8	8.7	9.4	9.7	9.3	7.8	8.3	7.7	8.7	8.2
Coles	8.2	9.2	8.7	10.7	9.2	7.7	7.8	8.0	8.0	7.8	7.4	7.6	7.7	9.3
Cook	8.6	8.6	7.8	9.0	8.2	7.8	8.0	8.2	7.5	7.7	7.8	7.2	6.7	6.5
Crawford	13.5	16.3	17.6	19.2	16.9	15.5	15.5	15.8	14.5	14.3	13.1	14.9	14.6	15.2
Cumberland	13.3	12.0	13.8	16.4	13.8	11.9	10.9	10.3	9.7	8.9	9.4	7.3	8.3	11.9
DeKalb	6.7	7.2	7.3	8.8	7.7	6.2	6.0	6.9	6.3	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.3
DeWitt	10.0	11.2	11.7	13.8	13.7	12.5	14.8	15.9	14.7	13.6	13.3	12.7	12.1	11.6
Douglas	7.8	8.9	9.3	11.5	9.5	7.6	6.9	7.4	7.3	7.4	6.5	6.9	8.1	8.8
DuPage	6.2	5.8	5.6	6.6	6.1	5.3	5.4	5.7	5.0	5.1	5.2	4.8	4.4	4.6
Edgar	15.7	15.7	14.7	17.0	14.7	14.1	12.1	11.3	11.0	11.1	10.4	10.0	10.8	11.1
Edwards	11.1	11.8	10.7	15.8	14.8	14.1	14.8	13.3	11.8	13.2	12.6	12.1	11.5	11.1
Effingham	10.7	10.9	12.9	14.7	12.8	10.2	9.7	8.7	7.9	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.4	8.4
Fayette	16.4	14.5	15.8	18.9	18.3	15.8	15.0	13.6	12.9	12.8	12.1	11.6	11.7	13.1
Ford	9.8	7.8	9.4	11.6	10.5	8.2	6.5	6.2	5.6	5.6	5.6	7.1	7.7	8.3
Franklin	16.6	15.7	14.0	17.2	15.1	13.7	13.9	14.7	14.2	16.2	16.3	15.8	14.7	14.7
Fulton	14.9	13.0	12.9	14.6	13.1	11.3	11.2	10.2	10.0	9.4	9.7	8.8	8.9	9.4
Gallatin	19.4	16.7	18.0	21.2	20.5	18.2	18.8	19.4	17.9	18.2	15.9	13.4	14.7	15.9
Greene	10.8	10.0	11.0	13.8	11.9	10.3	9.2	9.8	9.5	8.6	8.2	8.1	8.2	8.7
Grundy	9.8	10.2	10.6	12.7	11.7	9.8	7.8	8.6	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.2	8.2	9.2
Hamilton	18.9	19.5	17.3	23.0	21.4	19.2	20.0	20.8	18.7	18.4	17.9	17.4	17.1	18.6
Hancock	10.2	10.0	12.2	14.9	12.3	10.2	9.5	8.8	9.3	7.8	9.4	8.0	7.6	8.2
Hardin	18.0	16.6	17.6	21.1	16.5	17.5	15.1	16.2	15.3	15.0	13.7	13.5	11.9	12.1
Henderson	12.2	12.3	13.0	14.9	13.4	12.2	10.8	11.4	11.5	11.2	12.3	9.3	8.8	8.0
Henry	12.9	12.5	15.6	17.4	14.1	12.5	10.6	10.1	10.1	11.1	10.8	9.2	8.8	10.4
Iroquois	8.9	8.8	10.7	12.4	11.1	8.7	7.6	8.6	6.9	7.6	6.0	6.0	7.3	8.5
Jackson	8.7	8.8	9.2	10.4	9.4	7.8	8.0	8.7	8.3	8.4	7.6	7.0	7.1	7.2
Jasper	12.5	12.8	12.2	14.4	12.8	9.1	10.2	13.8	11.4	12.5	10.0	8.9	8.8	8.9
Jefferson	13.6	14.2	14.2	16.8	15.5	13.7	13.3	13.9	13.8	14.7	14.2	13.0	12.9	13.6
Jersey	12.8	12.5	12.0	14.7	13.1	9.9	10.0	10.0	9.0	8.9	9.0	9.3	8.5	7.9
Jo Daviess	8.8	9.7	12.1	13.5	12.1	10.2	8.5	7.0	6.5	7.1	6.8	7.5	7.9	8.0
Johnson	17.7	14.4	14.3	17.4	14.7	11.3	15.3	15.1	15.0	13.0	12.7	12.7	13.2	13.8
Kane	7.9	8.0	7.9	9.7	9.0	7.5	6.9	7.1	6.5	6.6	6.3	5.9	5.5	5.7
Kankakee	12.2	11.6	11.9	13.5	11.8	11.1	10.9	10.7	9.3	9.0	8.8	8.5	8.2	8.3
Kendall	6.6	7.4	6.9	8.8	8.1	6.9	7.5	7.2	6.3	5.7	5.2	5.2	4.6	4.9
Knox	13.1	15.8	15.5	18.2	16.5	14.1	13.0	12.8	12.3	11.5	11.9	10.7	10.8	10.7
Lake	6.1	6.0	5.8	6.7	6.0	5.1	5.2	5.3	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.5
LaSalle	12.7	13.4	13.1	15.1	13.8	11.6	11.3	11.4	11.1	10.7	9.7	9.3	9.3	10.2
Lawrence	12.6	17.3	20.9	25.0	22.7	19.9	19.2	20.7	18.2	19.8	19.6	18.0	18.1	18.7
Lee	11.3	10.1	10.6	12.3	12.1	9.9	9.5	8.9	7.7	7.0	7.4	7.3	8.0	8.2

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SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE*

COUNTY	1984	1985	1986 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Livingston	8.8	11.5	9.3	11.3	9.7	7.9	7.0	7.0	6.4	5.4	4.8	4.9	4.6	6.0
Logan	9.6	7.4	9.5	11.7	9.3	7.3	7.5	6.3	6.4	6.1	6.4	6.0	6.8	8.0
Macon	10.3	10.8	10.8	12.7	11.6	11.1	11.5	11.1	10.5	12.0	11.1	9.7	9.2	8.6
Macoupin	10.8	11.0	11.8	14.6	13.0	10.2	9.7	9.7	9.1	10.6	8.9	9.3	9.4	10.0
Madison	10.9	10.5	10.0	11.9	10.4	9.0	9.4	10.2	9.5	9.2	8.6	8.4	8.3	8.2
Marion	13.2	13.7	14.4	17.4	17.1	14.1	14.1	13.3	12.0	12.8	11.5	10.8	12.5	12.3
Marshall	9.8	10.0	9.5	10.5	10.0	8.1	7.2	7.0	6.5	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.5	7.5
Mason	10.7	11.1	11.8	13.9	12.4	10.4	10.6	11.0	10.0	10.0	10.3	10.0	10.0	10.7
Massac	15.2	14.6	13.9	15.8	14.5	14.2	13.1	13.1	15.0	13.7	12.4	10.8	9.9	9.7
McDonough	11.1	10.2	8.8	9.6	9.0	7.4	8.3	9.9	9.4	8.9	7.2	6.7	5.8	6.3
McHenry	7.3	8.0	8.8	10.3	8.9	6.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.5	5.4	4.9	4.9	5.5
McLean	6.7	6.3	6.4	7.5	6.9	5.9	6.2	5.7	5.1	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.7	4.8
Menard	6.0	6.9	9.0	9.9	7.6	5.8	5.4	4.7	4.5	4.4	6.0	5.5	6.5	7.3
Mercer	14.1	12.4	14.8	16.9	14.9	12.8	10.2	11.1	10.6	10.7	11.2	9.6	9.5	10.5
Monroe	9.4	8.7	9.0	12.1	9.2	7.5	8.5	8.6	7.8	8.5	9.3	7.5	6.9	6.5
Montgomery	14.7	14.2	14.1	16.9	15.1	12.4	11.1	11.6	12.7	10.8	10.4	10.2	10.3	11.1
Morgan	8.5	8.3	9.3	11.0	10.3	8.9	7.8	7.8	7.5	7.2	6.6	5.9	6.4	6.8
Moultrie	8.6	7.8	8.2	10.7	9.4	7.3	8.6	7.9	7.4	8.1	8.9	7.8	7.4	8.7
Ogle	9.4	9.9	11.1	14.1	13.1	11.4	10.4	10.3	9.2	8.0	7.8	7.3	7.9	8.7
Peoria	11.3	11.1	10.0	11.6	10.6	9.4	9.3	9.4	8.7	8.9	9.6	7.7	7.3	7.6
Perry	14.9	14.4	17.2	19.3	17.5	15.2	13.0	13.2	13.5	15.5	15.1	15.1	14.6	15.0
Piatt	8.9	8.1	10.7	12.8	11.9	10.1	9.8	9.6	9.1	10.1	9.7	8.7	9.2	10.3
Pike	13.9	12.7	12.7	14.7	12.8	11.6	12.1	12.7	11.6	9.4	7.7	7.2	7.6	9.6
Pope	17.2	16.4	17.1	20.5	17.6	13.6	12.5	14.5	11.9	11.9	10.9	11.2	11.8	12.7
Pulaski	22.0	22.9	21.9	25.1	22.6	18.2	21.3	21.3	20.5	18.9	15.5	14.1	13.8	14.0
Putnam	11.0	11.9	14.5	16.7	14.8	11.1	9.8	10.0	8.8	9.5	7.7	7.1	9.9	10.8
Randolph	10.5	9.3	9.4	11.3	10.3	8.9	10.5	10.1	9.5	8.9	8.5	9.0	9.3	9.5
Richland	15.1	17.8	17.5	24.7	19.4	18.5	19.0	21.4	18.5	18.4	17.6	14.7	15.4	16.1
Rock Isld	14.4	13.0	12.8	14.6	12.4	11.4	10.3	10.9	10.5	12.1	12.5	10.1	9.5	9.1
St. Clair	10.2	9.8	9.3	11.5	9.9	8.9	9.0	9.6	8.8	8.9	8.6	8.1	7.6	7.3
Saline	15.9	15.0	15.6	18.5	16.6	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.9	15.1	13.8	15.0	14.5	14.9
Sangamon	7.1	6.7	6.6	7.8	6.8	6.0	5.7	5.9	5.5	5.6	5.6	4.9	4.9	4.9
Schuyler	12.3	10.1	11.2	13.5	12.2	10.2	8.1	8.2	8.2	7.0	6.7	6.5	7.6	8.7
Scott	9.5	10.1	13.2	16.2	12.7	9.3	7.1	7.8	8.2	6.0	6.3	6.6	6.4	8.5
Shelby	12.8	11.5	12.5	14.7	13.1	10.9	10.4	10.1	9.1	11.1	8.7	8.6	9.4	11.3
Stark	9.5	9.5	10.0	12.2	10.6	7.6	7.2	7.2	7.4	10.1	10.0	8.6	6.5	8.6
Stephenson	7.6	9.8	10.0	11.0	9.5	7.5	7.8	8.5	7.7	8.0	8.0	7.4	5.7	6.2
Tazewell	11.9	11.5	10.6	12.1	10.8	9.4	10.1	9.7	9.1	9.2	9.8	8.3	8.2	8.8
Union	16.7	14.8	17.0	21.6	18.8	15.6	15.0	13.5	12.5	11.9	10.3	9.8	10.2	12.0
Vermilion	13.0	14.0	13.4	15.7	15.1	13.4	12.1	12.5	12.0	11.5	12.2	11.0	11.1	10.8
Wabash	10.4	12.2	10.2	13.3	13.9	12.4	13.5	13.8	13.0	16.6	12.2	11.4	11.7	12.0
Warren	11.1	11.2	11.4	13.3	11.6	9.2	9.6	15.8	16.6	16.8	17.0	15.2	13.9	11.5
Washington	12.1	10.1	10.2	12.9	11.7	10.0	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.2	8.3	8.6	9.6
Wayne	16.4	16.9	16.1	20.4	19.8	18.4	18.3	18.9	16.9	18.2	16.1	14.8	14.4	15.3
White	17.2	16.7	17.4	21.6	21.3	20.4	20.7	21.1	20.3	20.6	20.5	18.6	17.7	18.6
Whiteside	12.2	12.7	11.7	12.5	11.0	9.6	9.3	9.2	8.5	8.7	8.5	7.7	7.9	8.0
Will	8.6	8.3	7.8	9.1	8.2	7.3	7.4	7.6	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.6	6.5	7.0
Williamson	17.4	17.7	17.0	19.9	18.1	16.5	14.5	14.7	13.6	12.9	12.4	13.0	13.1	13.2
Winnebago	9.6	9.8	9.4	10.7	9.8	8.9	9.1	9.1	8.7	8.8	9.3	8.7	8.3	7.8
Woodford	8.9	9.1	8.4	10.2	8.6	6.7	6.1	5.8	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.0	5.2	5.9

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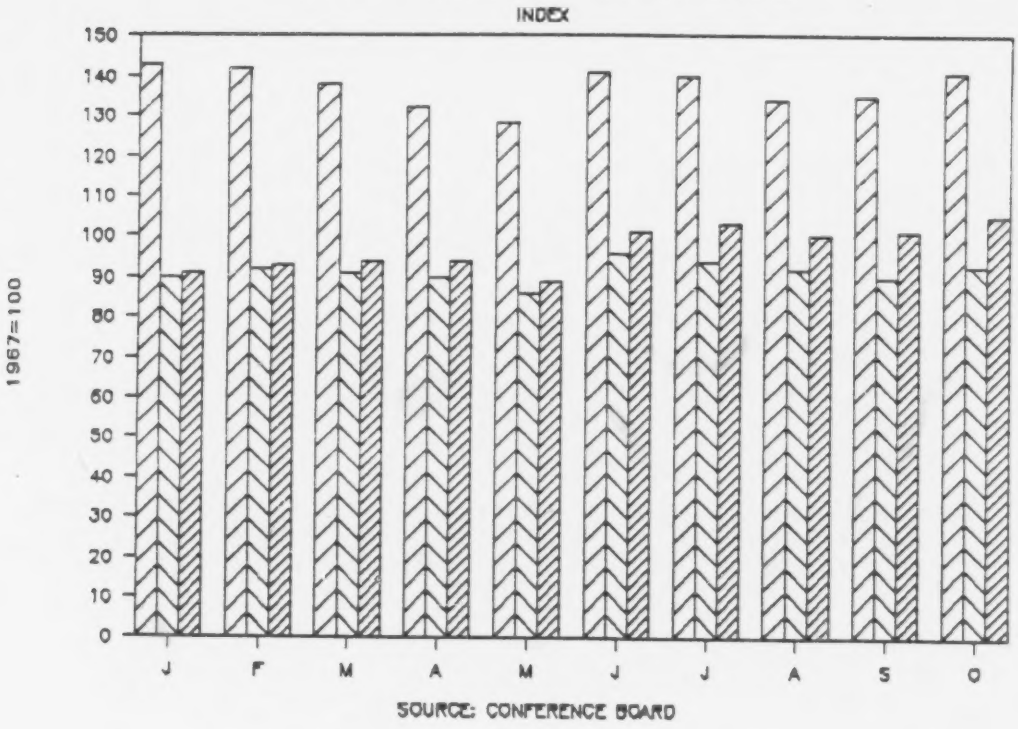

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HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES*
(Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National Index (51 Papers)	1985	141	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136	140	144	145
	1986	143	142	138	132	128	141	140	134	135	141	146	
East North Central (10 Papers)	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	90r	86	85	86	93	96
	1986	90	92	91	90	86	96	94	92	90	93		
Chicago	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101	98	95	96	103	104
	1986	91	93	94	94	89	101	103	100	101	105		
St. Louis**	1985	51	72	72	64	64	73	67	65	67	64	64	67
	1986	69	70	70	65	65	70	65	64	62	63		

*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.

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**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.
SOURCE: The Conference Board.

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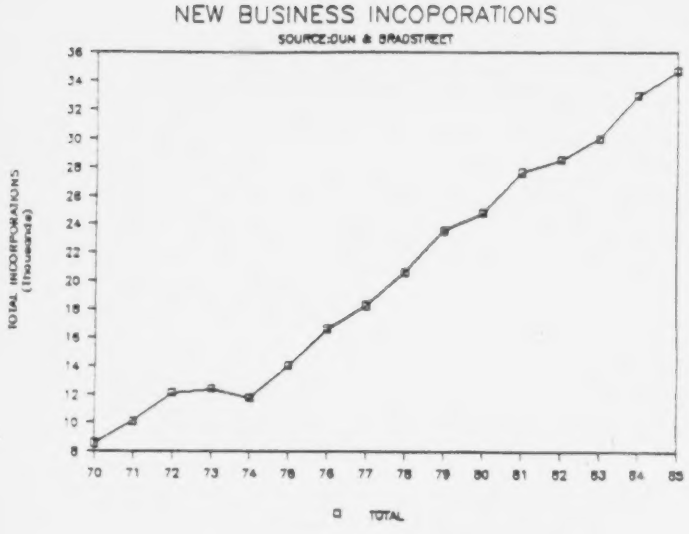
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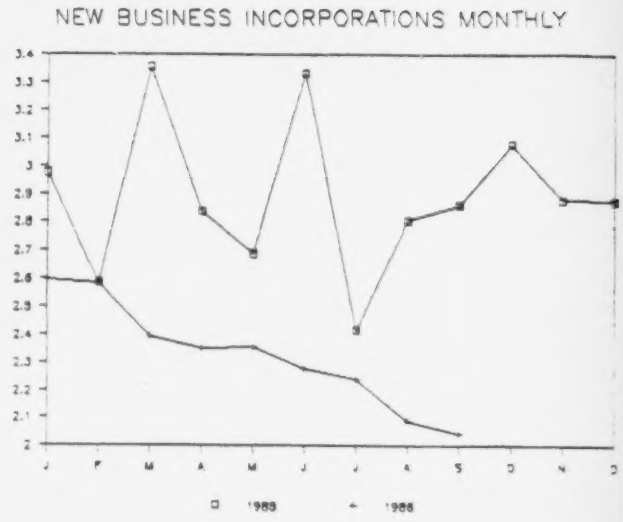


ANNUAL

Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8
1985	34,691	5.3	5.3

MONTH*

Month	1984	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	2,649	2,977	2,598	-12.7	9.4
Feb	2,295	2,584	2,584	6.7	11.5
Mar	2,251	3,358	2,392	-28.8	6.1
Apr	2,961	2,837	2,349	-17.2	8.1
May	2,667	2,688	2,352	-12.5	-0.6
June	3,087	3,336	2,276	-31.8	-0.8
July	2,459	2,415	2,238	-7.3	4.5
Aug	2,507	2,807	2,089	-25.6	-3.7
Sept	2,951	2,858	2,041	-3.3	6.3
Oct	2,740	3,078			
Nov	2,366	2,879			
Dec	3,415	2,874			
TOTAL	32,348	34,691	20,919		

*Data are not seasonally adjusted.

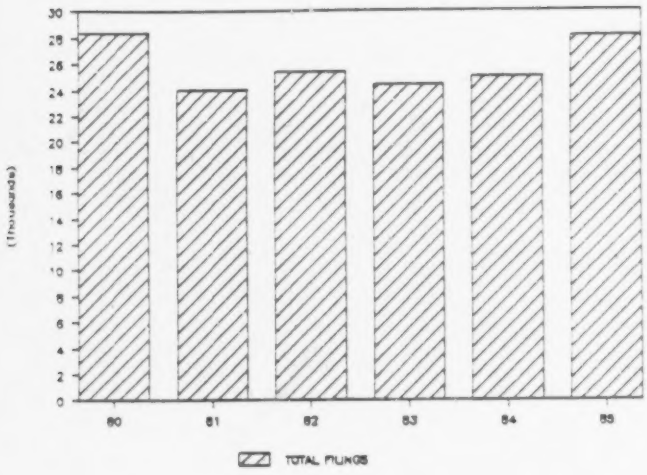
REGIONAL COMPOSITION
Percent of Total

Region	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
New England	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.7
Middle Atlantic	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7	18.0
E. North Central	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.5
W. North Central	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.8
South Atlantic	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8	25.2
E. South Central	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9
W. South Central	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9	9.6
Mountain	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3	6.9
Pacific	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0	12.4
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS ANNUALLY



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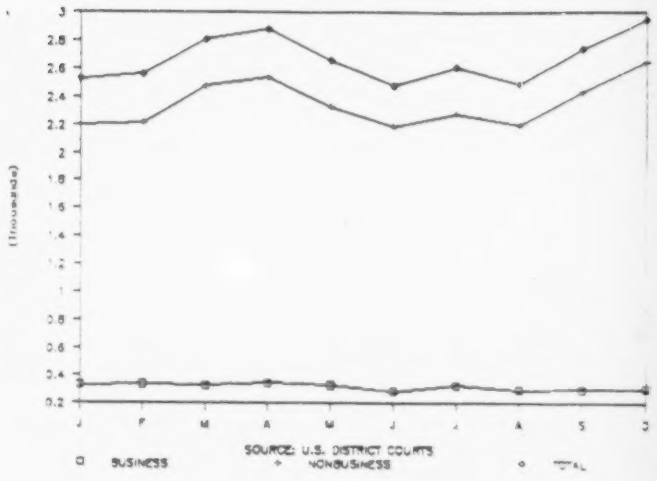

Annual	Business Filings			Nonbusiness Filings			Total Filings
	No.	Cen.	So.	No.	Cen.	So.	
1980	2377	821	343	17,513	5175	2115	28,344
1981	1698	693	263	15,567	3826	1909	23,956
1982	2232	879	389	16,435	4067	1313	25,315
1983	2199	917	438	15,623	4023	1203	24,403
1984	2012	1099	534	15,994	4154	1194	24,987
1985	2031	1422	549	17,883	4765	1465	28,115

1986 Month	Business	Nonbusiness	Total
Jan	333	2199	2532
Feb	341	2220	2561
Mar	331	2481	2812
Apr	349	2535	2884
May	332	2327	2659
Jun	289	2192	2481
Jul	329	2284	2613
Aug	299	2195	2494
Sep	301	2442	2743
Oct	305	2646	2951
Nov			
Dec			

SOURCE: U.S. District Courts

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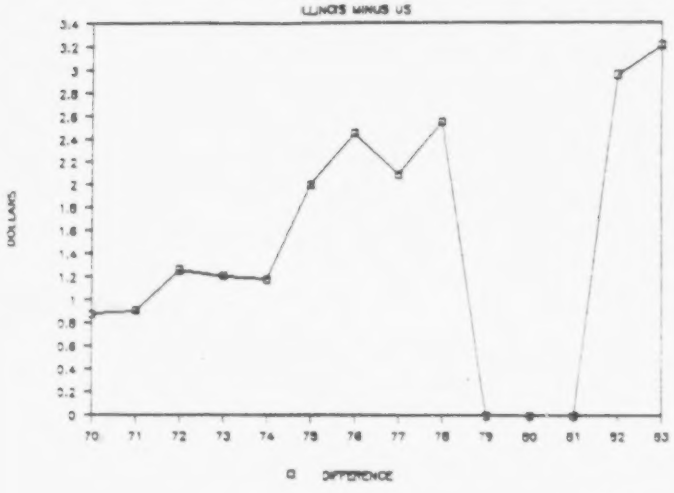
PRODUCTIVITY



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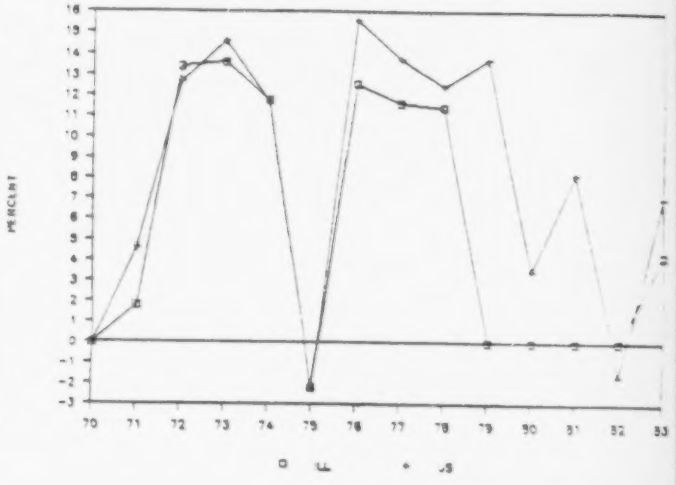

Year	--------PRODUCTION-------- VALUE ADDED (million)	PERCENT CHANGE Ill.	PERCENT CHANGE U.S.	Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)	-PRODUCTIVITY*- Ill.	-PRODUCTIVITY*- U.S.	----U.S. MANUFACTURING--- Industrial Production Index (1977=100)	----U.S. MANUFACTURING--- Capacity Utilization Rate[r] (Percent)
1975	32,089	-2.2	-2.2	11,198	20.38	18.38	83.4	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	15.6	11,952	22.62	20.17	91.9	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	13.7	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	12.4	13,949	26.31	23.75	107.1	84.2
1979	NA	NA	13.7	NA	NA	26.39	111.5	84.6
1980	NA	NA	3.5	NA	NA	28.93	108.2	79.3
1981	NA	NA	8.2	19,046	NA	31.93	110.5	78.3
1982	47,705	NA	-1.6	17,394	37.97	35.01	102.2	70.3
1983	49,734	4.2	7.0	17,207	40.59	37.38	110.2	74.0
1984	55,246	11.1	11.5	18,029	42.16	39.99	121.8	80.8
1985							124.5	80.3
1986 (est.)							125.1	79.2

MONTHLY DATA	Year	--U.S. MANUFACTURING-- Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
		(SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)											
Industrial Prod. Index	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.5	128.1	129.3
	'86	129.8	128.8	128.0	128.9	128.6	128.0	128.0	125.1	125.1	125.2	125.9	
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'84	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.1	80.1	80.7	80.4	79.6	80.1	80.5
	'86	80.7	80.0	79.1	79.6[r]	79.3[r]	78.7[r]	78.5	79.2	79.0	79.0	79.3	80.3

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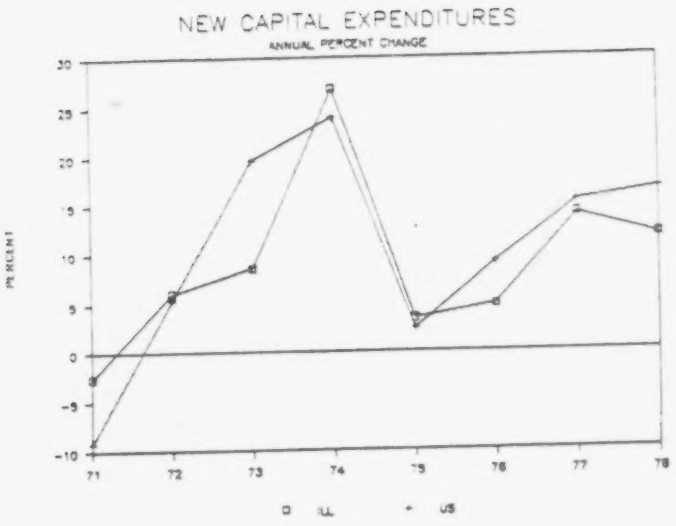
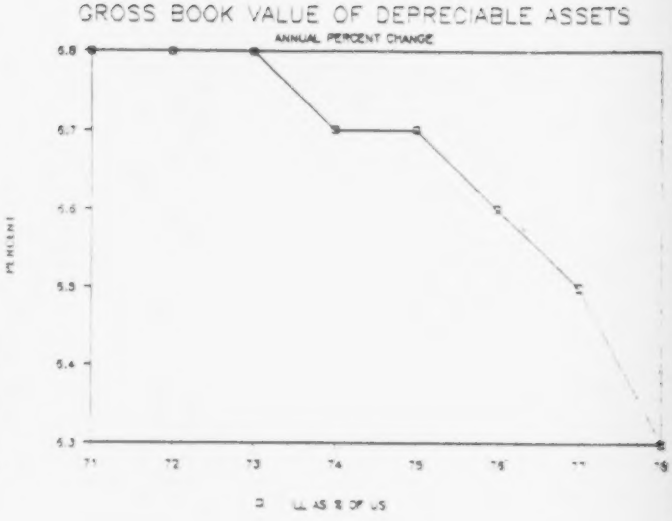
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING





Year	(Millions of Dollars) Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change Ill.	Total % Change U.S.	(Millions of Dollars) Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1975	494	1,734	2,229	3.4	2.3	7,172	17,486	24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,830	27,664	37,494	5.8
1982	556	2,815	3,372	NA	-4.6	10,107	29,245	39,352	5.7
1983	460	2,476	2,936	-12.9	-3.7	9,962	30,656	40,618	5.6
1984	612	2,752	3,364	14.6	15.8	9,993	31,528	41,521	5.4
1985					8.7				
1986					-2.6				
1987**					0.2				

*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.
**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending -- U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey (MAY).
SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

INSTRUMENT	1983	1984	1985	1986 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Federal Funds	9.06	10.22	8.10	8.14	7.86	7.48	6.99	6.85	6.92	6.56	6.17	5.89	5.85	6.04	6.91
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	8.50	8.80	7.69	7.50	7.50	7.10	6.83	6.50	6.50	6.16	5.82	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
Prime Rate	11.16	12.04	9.93	9.50	9.50	9.10	8.83	8.50	8.50	8.16	7.90	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)															
3 month	8.61	9.52	7.48	7.07	7.06	6.56	6.06	6.12	6.21	5.83	5.53	5.21	5.18	5.35	5.53
6 month	8.73	9.76	7.65	7.16	7.11	6.57	6.08	6.16	6.27	5.86	5.55	5.25	5.26	5.42	5.55
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	9.56	10.73	8.28	8.02	8.94	7.43	6.80	6.86	6.95	6.54	6.06	--	--	5.94	6.29
Bankers Accept. (90 day)	1.89	8.90	7.92	7.62	7.54	7.09	6.48	6.54	6.60	6.23	5.80	5.60	5.58	5.67	5.96
Commercial Paper															
1 month	8.87	10.05	7.94	7.78	7.70	7.30	6.75	6.72	6.79	6.42	6.02	5.74	5.74	5.84	6.63
3 month	8.88	10.10	7.95	7.71	7.63	7.20	6.60	6.63	6.71	6.33	5.92	5.68	5.68	5.76	6.10
6 month	8.89	10.16	8.01	7.62	7.54	7.08	6.47	6.53	6.63	6.24	5.83	5.61	5.61	5.69	5.88
Certificates of Deposit															
3 month	9.07	10.37	8.05	7.82	7.69	7.24	6.60	6.65	6.73	6.37	5.92	5.71	5.69	5.76	6.04
6 month	9.27	10.68	8.25	7.83	7.70	7.23	6.57	6.64	6.72	6.36	5.92	5.71	5.70	5.76	5.95
U.S. Treasury Bonds															
1 year	9.57	10.89	8.43	7.73	7.61	7.03	6.44	6.65	6.73	6.27	5.93	5.77	5.72	5.80	5.87
3 year	10.45	11.89	9.64	8.41	8.10	7.30	6.86	7.27	7.41	6.86	6.33	6.62	6.56	6.46	6.48
10 year	11.10	12.44	10.62	9.19	8.70	7.78	7.30	7.71	7.80	7.30	7.17	7.45	7.43	7.25	7.11
State & Local Bonds															
"Bond Buyer" Series	9.51	10.10	9.10	8.08	7.44	7.08	7.20	7.54	7.87	7.51	7.21	7.11	7.08	6.85	6.86
Corporate Bonds Aaa	12.04	12.71	11.37	10.05	9.67	9.00	8.79	NA	9.13	8.88	8.72	8.89	8.86	8.68	8.49
A - rated Utility Bond*	12.73	13.81	12.06	10.74	10.20	9.41	9.26	9.50	9.65	9.57	9.51	9.56	9.48	9.31	9.08
Conventional Mortgages	13.43	13.87	--	10.88	10.71	10.08	9.94	10.14	10.68	10.51	10.20	10.01	9.97	9.70	9.31
Dividend/Price Ratio															
Preferred Stocks	11.02	11.59	10.44	9.85	9.62	9.13	8.97	9.00	8.89	8.68	8.42				
Common Stocks	4.40	4.64	4.25	3.90	3.72	3.50	3.43	3.42	3.36	3.41	3.36				

* Changed from Aaa utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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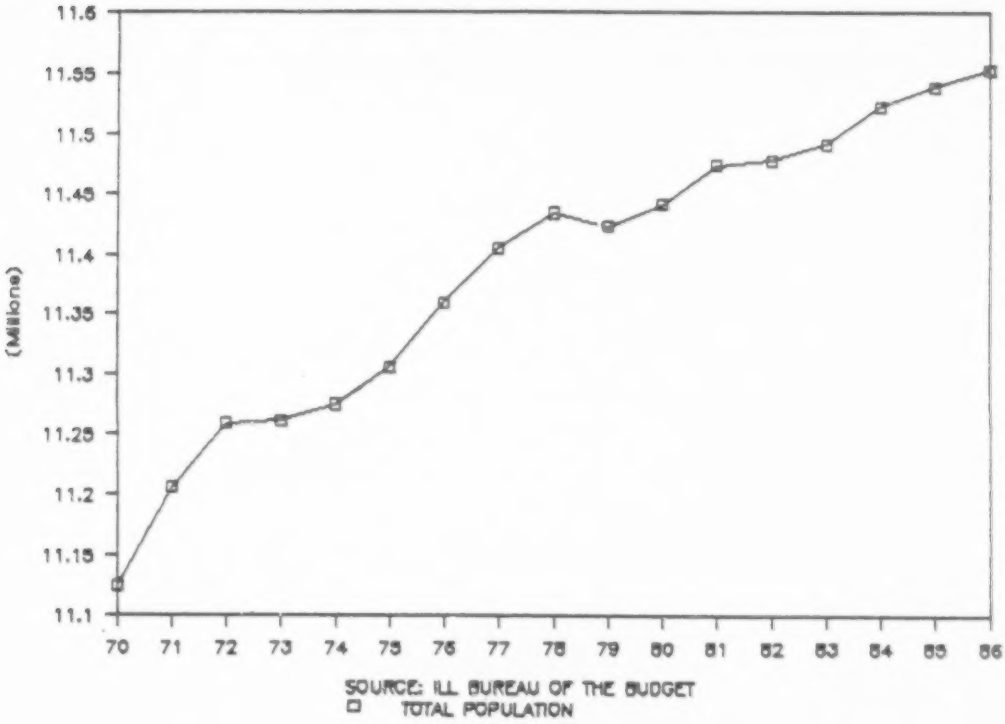
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS POPULATION



RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

Year		Total	Change	Components of Change: Black	Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Total Percent Change: Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,441*	+8	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.1	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+33		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,478	+4				-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,491	+13		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	0.9
1984	(July 1 EST.)	11,522	+31				-35,000	0.4	0.9
1985	(July 1 EST.)	11,538	+16				N/A	0.1	0.9
1986	(July 1 EST.)	11,553	+15						

*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

PROJECTIONS	Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	U.S. Department of Commerce Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,585	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE (millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1982	FY 1985	1985 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1482	$ 804	15.3
Feed Grains	214	1284	1195	15.8
Wheat & Flour	28	309	121	2.7
Meats & Prod.	13	45	38	3.3
Hides & Skins	8	26	36	2.9
Fats & Oils	10	22	19	3.1
Other	81	81	79	1.2
TOTAL	$758	$3313	$2339	7.5
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(2)	(3)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS (thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	N/A
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	108.9
Trade	30.9	48.0	39.7
Business Services	15.2	32.6	16.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	11.6
Other	21.7	22.3	19.7
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS (million dollars)

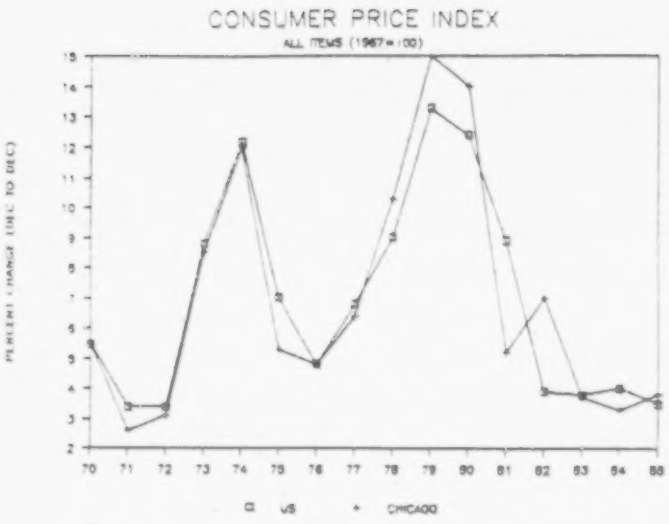
	1977 Direct	1977 Indirect	1977 Total	1983 Direct	1983 Indirect	1983 Total	Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts. 1983	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands) 1977	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands) 1983
Machines, exc. Elec.	2,892	566	3,458	2139	662	2801	20.2	40.8	26.6
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273	222	1090	1312	18.2	14.0	9.5
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760	568	784	1352	12.0	6.7	5.4
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847	796	370	1166	11.6	17.4	15.5
Food & Kindred	736	196	932	818	291	1109	5.5	3.5	2.8
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917	315	733	1048	10.6	15.8	12.3
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554	557	155	712	11.4	4.9	4.7
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217	159	276	434	11.2	4.5	4.2
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198	38	361	399	3.7	0.3	0.3
Instruments	254	57	312	243	67	310	12.5	6.7	4.3
Paper & Allied	35	141	176	33	238	270	7.6	2.5	2.3
Other	360	212	572	474	293	770	4.9	23.0	21.0
TOTAL	6,313	3,903	10,216	6,363	5,320	11,683	10.1	140.1	108.9

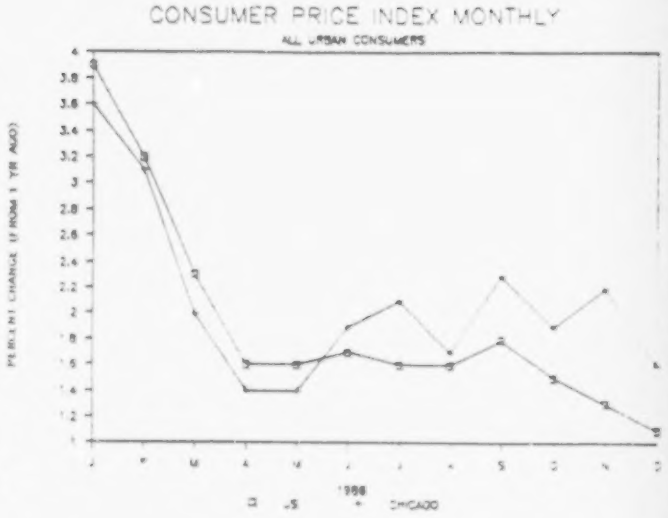
TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Agriculture	$2,752	$2,812	$2,923	$3,645	$3,614	$3,313	$2,950	$2,930	$2,339
Manufacturing	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511	11,683	12,541*	11,837*
Direct)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(6,362)	NA	NA
Indirect	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(5,320)	NA	NA
Gross Total	12,788	13,323	16,618	20,090	20,653	19,824	14,633	15,471	14,176
Less Duplication**	-1029	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	1,109	-1,160*	-1,063*
Net Total	$11,759	$12,261	$15,221	$18,294	$19,119	$18,386	$13,524	14,311	13,113
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(5)		

*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs
**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.

U.S. AND CHICAGO/NORTHWESTERN INDIANA
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS

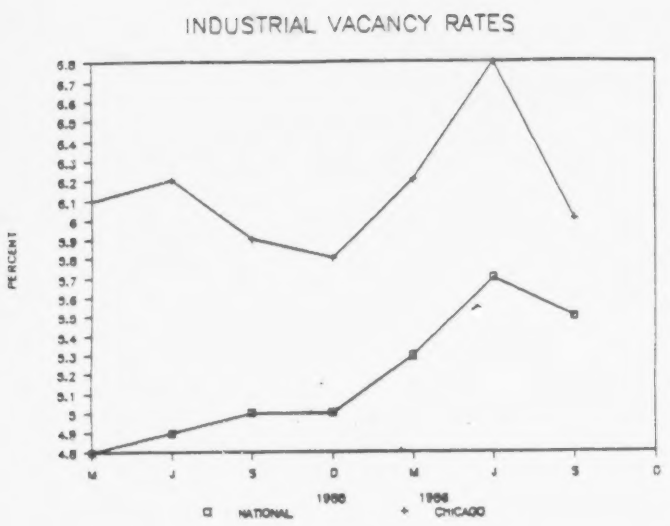


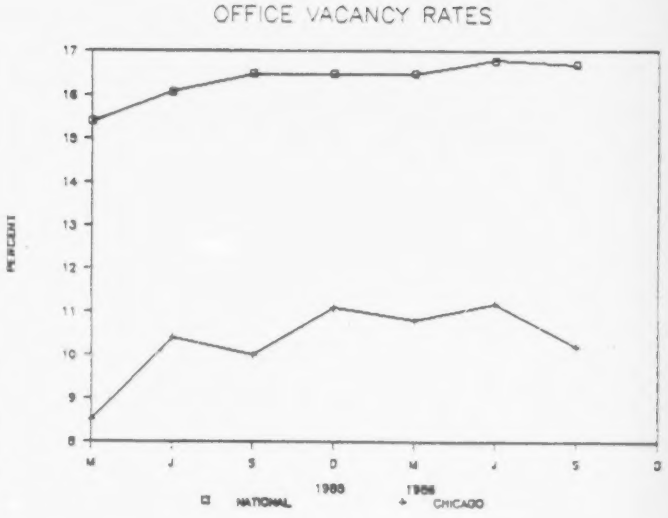


Year	ALL URBAN ANNUAL (1967=100) U.S.	CHICAGO	% Change from Preceeding Period* U.S.	CHICAGO	Mo.	1986 MONTH (1967=100) ALL URBAN U.S. INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	ALL URBAN CHICAGO INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	URBAN WAGE EARNERS U.S. INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	URBAN WAGE EARNERS CHICAGO INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3	Jan	328.4	3.9	326.3	3.6	324.3	3.7	312.9	3.4
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8	Feb	327.5	3.2	324.4	3.1	323.2	3.0	312.8	2.9
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4	Mar	326.0	2.3	323.9	2.0	312.4	1.9	309.7	1.6
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	10.3	Apr	325.3	1.6	323.7	1.4	320.4	1.2	309.1	0.9
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	15.0	May	326.3	1.6	324.2	1.4	321.4	1.1	309.6	0.9
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.0	June	327.9	1.7	330.4	1.9	323.0	1.3	315.6	1.5
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	5.2	July	328.0	1.6	331.1	2.1	322.9	1.2	316.0	1.6
1982	289.1	287.4	6.2	7.0	Aug	328.6	1.6	331.4	1.7	323.4	1.2	316.2	1.3
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	3.7	Sept.	330.2	1.8	333.9	2.3	324.9	1.4	318.3	2.0
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.3	Oct.	330.5	1.5	328.7	1.9	325.0	1.2	313.4	1.5
1985	322.2	321.8	3.5	3.8	Nov.	330.8	1.3	331.3	2.2	325.4	0.9	316.1	1.7
1986	328.4	328.4	1.1	1.6	Dec	331.1	1.1	331.0	1.6	325.7	0.7	315.8	1.0
1987**			3.2, 3.6										
1988**			4.6, 4.6										

*Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).
**Chase Econometric Forecast (AUGUST), Data Resources Forecast (DECEMBER), Average annual changes.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES





INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES**

	1984				1985				1986							
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.7						
Chicago	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.8	6.2	6.8						
Southern California	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5	5.4	5.9						
Philadelphia	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.5	3.8	3.3						
Houston[r]	5.4	4.8	6.0	7.7	13.5	14.8	15.0	14.1	14.2	13.2						
St. Louis[r]	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	6.3	6.7						

*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in 19 metro areas.

DOWNTOWN OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1984				1985				1986							
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5	16.5	16.5	16.8						
New York	4.5	6.5	6.6	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0	11.1	10.8	11.2						
Chicago	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4	10.6	11.0	11.3						
Suburban	13.8	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9	21.7	20.9	21.4						
Los Angeles	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5	18.2	18.5	15.9						
Phil'phia	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8	10.2	9.2	10.8						
Houston	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3	20.2	19.1	18.8						
St. Louis	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4	10.8	11.0	16.5						

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in 22 downtown areas. r: revised
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

ILLINOIS SALES OF ALL RETAIL STORES

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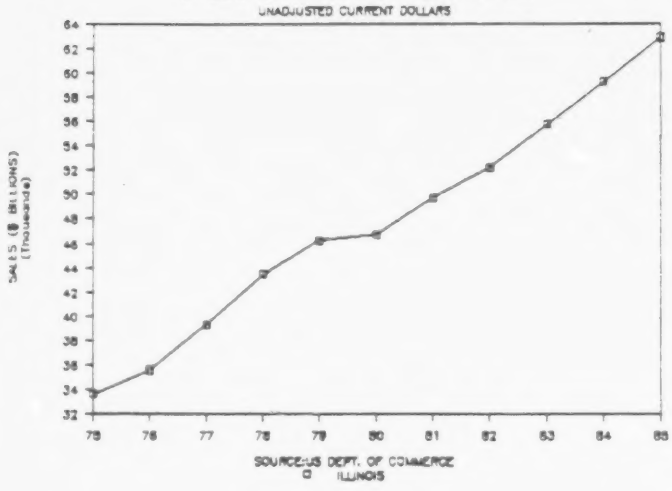

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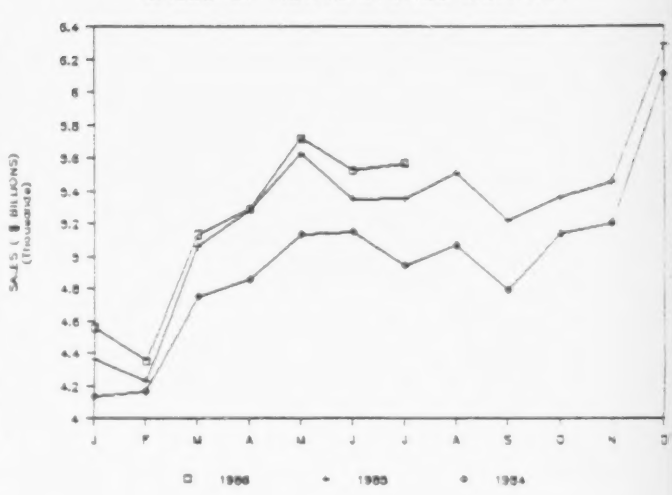


ANNUAL
($ millions)

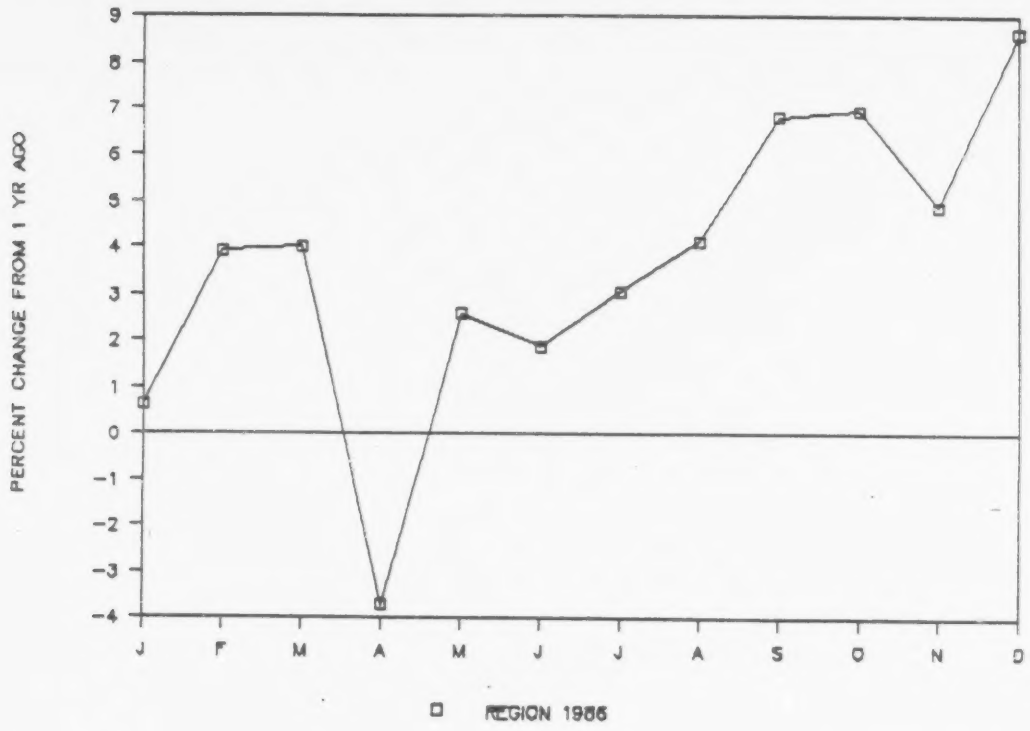
Year	Ill. AMOUNT	Chicago SMSA° AMOUNT	Chicago City AMOUNT	Ill. PERCENT CHANGE	Chicago SMSA° PERCENT CHANGE	Chicago City PERCENT CHANGE	U.S. PERCENT CHANGE
1978	43,463	28,721	10,676	10.5	10.4	13.1	11.2
1979	46,216	30,992	10,880	6.3	7.9	1.9	11.4
1980	46,742	31,365	10,606	1.1	1.2	-2.5	6.7
1981	49,715	32,325	10,821	6.4	3.1	2.0	8.5
1982	52,195	34,538	10,850	5.0	6.8	0.3	3.0
1983	55,696	36,799	11,033	6.7	6.6	1.7	9.5
1984	59,263	39,604	12,341	6.4	7.6	11.9	10.1
1985	62,896	41,731	12,452	6.1	5.4	0.9	6.2
1986							5.2

MONTH*
($ millions)
1986

Mo.	Ill. AMOUNT	Chicago SMSA° AMOUNT	Chicago City AMOUNT	Ill. Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	Chicago SMSA° Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	Chicago City Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	U.S. Percent Change from 1 Year Ago
Jan	4,561	3,123	919	4.5	8.6	5.3	6.9
Feb	4,355	3,052	906	2.9	7.8	6.7	4.3
Mar	5,132	3,500	1,030	1.4	6.1	6.4	3.7
Apr	5,288	3,557	1,043	0.1	4.4	3.4	2.3
May	5,720	3,830	1,118	1.7	5.3	6.2	4.2
Jun	5,524	3,669	1,038	3.3	7.8	1.8	4.7
Jul	5,566	3,757	1,093	4.0	6.0	-1.4	4.3
Aug							
Sep							
Oct							
Nov							
Dec							

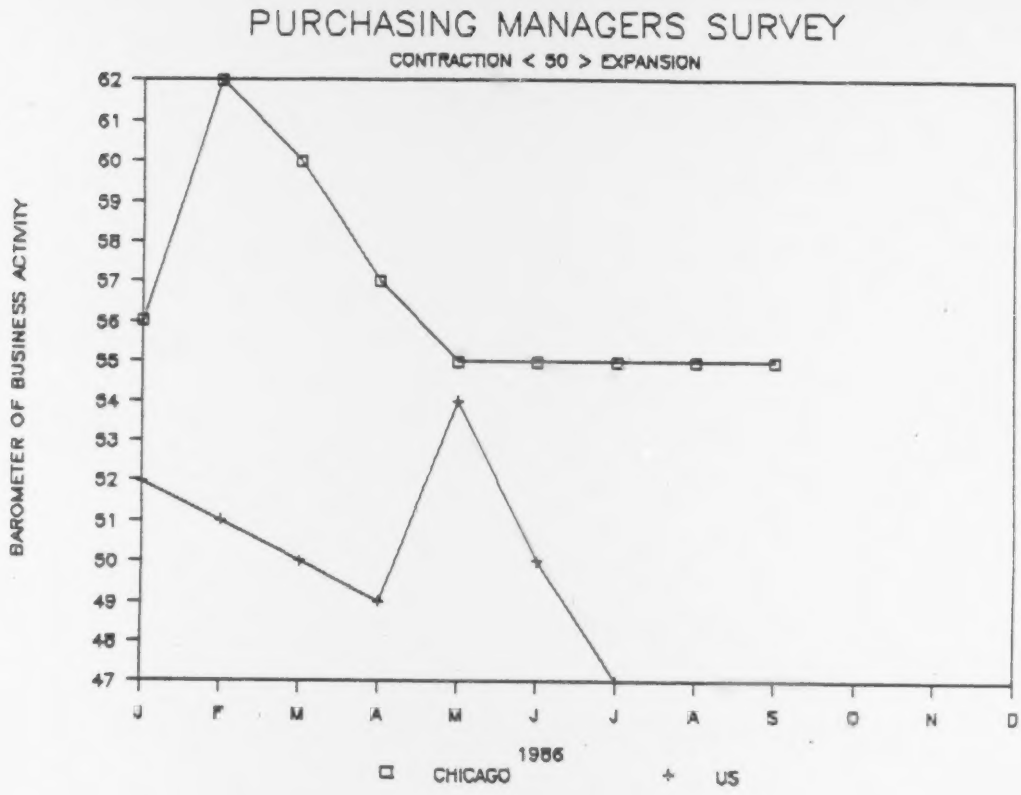
°SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/MSA/CSA configurations until 1987.
p=preliminary r=revised
*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.
SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

RETAILERS SALES COMPARISON



MONTH		GROSS SALES RECEIPTS ----------AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO---------- REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	TOTAL REGIONAL* AVERAGE CHANGE --------IN SALES BY TYPE--------- DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
	1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
	1985	4.93	5.94	2.05	2.91	5.12	4.92	1.92
1986								
JAN		0.64	0.23	0.13	6.48	1.33	-11.26	4.96
FEB		3.90	3.24	6.12	2.85	4.33	5.62	4.27
MAR		3.99	3.56	5.10	7.50	4.56	1.99	-9.33
APR		-3.71	-4.85	1.33	-1.00	-4.46	-2.21	7.04
MAY		2.57	2.22	3.67	4.15	2.32	0.99	7.81
JUNE		1.87	1.18	4.90	3.55	1.58	6.27	0.98
JULY		3.06	3.52	3.86	-2.11	3.66	-2.40	-1.81
AUG		4.13	4.92	3.37	2.23	4.47	3.38	-3.00
SEPT		6.82	8.50	1.78	2.89	7.81	-1.44	NA
OCT		6.97	7.06	9.02	2.51	7.19	7.33	0.87
NOV		4.88	6.04	3.22	-1.14	5.08	1.70	4.39
DEC		8.66	11.18	3.84	-4.22	8.95	3.06	9.46
Year to Date		5.61	6.56	4.38	0.65	6.06	1.70	0.63

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern Illinois, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.
SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.



1984-1985**

BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity)		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
CHICAGO	1985	51	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50	47	54	55
	1986	56	62	60	57	55	55	56	57				
U.S.	1985	53	50	48	47	47	47	47	47	51	52	53	51
	1986	52	51	50	49	54	50	47					

1986
CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

PRODUCTION	60	66	66	62	61	59	50	57
NEW ORDERS	60	70	64	60	57	61	51	57
ORDER BACKLOG	53	62	59	53	47	51	47	51
INVENTORIES	49	58	56	54	55	52	50	50
EMPLOYMENT	44	48	49	52	49	49	46	47
VENDOR DEL.	54	52	50	50	45	50	47	49
PRICES PAID	58	55	58	56	55	51	57	58

*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction
**Barometer data are seasonally adjusted; all other data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1986
(millions)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$308	$249	$112	$265	$245	$283	$288	$336	$99	$194	$78	$80
Revenues:												
Income Tax	307	245	340	384	345	350	243	236	340	256	211	330
Sales Tax	249	232	333	237	237	310	269	257	281	329	228	330
Other	134	104	168	152	116	125	106	106	112	146	78	126
Transfers In	61	65	83	56	67	68	40	54	63	58	52	68
Federal	141	112	148	137	134	132	130	137	141	135	150	128
TOTAL REVENUES	892	758	1072	966	899	985	788	790	937	924	719	982
Expenditures:												
Public Aid	265	231	265	255	254	217	285	242	264	242	198	234
Common School Fund	163	163	163	163	163	326	--	265	89	177	177	202
Operations	271	237	247	236	209	183	233	266	275	272	200	252
Other	191	180	181	268	183	202	141	188	151	266	90	211
Transfers Out	61	84	63	64	52	52	81	66	63	83	52	64
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	951	895	919	986	861	980	740	1,027	842	1,040	717	963
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	249	112	265	245	283	288	336	99	194	78	80	99

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL

	---------TOTAL----------		ALL AGENCIES ----EXCEPT EDUCATION---		-------EDUCATION------	
1986	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)
January	116,300	$212,799	78,417	$152,558	37,963	$60,241
February	118,828	213,127	78,514	151,980	40,314	61,147
March	118,977	214,408	78,626	152,599	40,351	61,809
April	119,086	213,567	78,643	152,107	40,443	61,460
May	118,170	214,488	79,113	153,307	39,057	61,181
June	112,134	216,260	80,574	158,350	31,560	57,910
July	111,349	212,380	80,472	156,138	30,877	56,242
August	115,427	219,134	80,686	157,380	34,741	61,754
September	119,339	224,265	78,868	157,778	40,471	66,487
October	120,414	226,730	78,534	159,470	41,716	67,261
November	118,737	229,013	78,758	162,169	39,979	66,844
December						

SOURCE: Office of the Controller

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MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS
April, 1987

STATE

Total Personal Income for the fourth quarter of 1986 was at $180,153 million, up by 4.0 percent from a year ago, seasonally adjusted at an annual rate.

Monthly cash receipts from farm marketing, for the latest period December, 1986 were up sharply by 49 percent to $821 million. This compares to a decline of over 18 percent for the U.S. as a whole. Annually, however, the state posted a 14.5 percent drop for 1986, compared to a decline of 6.7 percent nationally.

Total bituminous coal production for March of 1987 was 6.2 percent lower than a year ago, with underground mined coal representing 65.9 percent of the monthly output of 5,145 thousands of tons.

Total contracts for future construction in the first two months of 1987 were valued at $11.9 billion, a 30.3 percent increase from the previous year. Residential construction led the increase with 42.1 percent followed by non-building at 27.5 percent and non-residential at 17.6 percent.

The state labor force total for March of 1987 was listed as 5,620,000 persons, which is below any monthly total in 1986. Of these, 5,186,000 were employed and 434,000 (or 7.7% seasonally adjusted) are shown as unemployed. The employment count has dropped 1.1 percent from the same month of last year.

Average hourly wages for production workers in 1986 was $10.67. This represents a slight increase over the $10.37 figure for 1985. Additionally, average weekly hours worked increased, during these two years, from 40.6 to 40.9 in 1986.

The all-urban consumer price index (CPI-U) for Chicago increased 2.1 percent in 1986. This compares to a 1.1 percent rise nationally. During the first two months of 1987, the Chicago index increased 2.5 percent in January and 2.4 percent in February.

Retailers sales (particularly in department stores) in 1986 increased within the state, with the exception of Central/Southern Illinois. This pattern continued in the first three months of 1987, with March showing a 3.98 percent increase from a year ago.

A monthly barometer of business activity, the Purchasing Manager's Survey for Chicago declined slightly in the first two months of 1987. In January, 54 out of 100 and in February, 52 out of 100 managers indicated business activity was expanding.

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The unemployment rate edged down 0.1 percentage point in March to 6.6 percent, six-tenths of a percentage point below its level a year earlier. Nonfarm payroll employment, from the survey of establishments, increased by 164,000, less than the 263,000 average increase during the preceding six months. The hourly earnings index increased 0.3 percent in March and 2.0 percent during the past year.

Retail sales edged up 0.2 percent in March after a 4.9 perent advance the month before. Automotive sales rose a moderate 1.0 percent in the wake of wide fluctuations in earlier months. Nonauto sales did not change. Total retail sales fell at a 4.0 percent annual rate in the first quarter as auto sales retreated from a fourth-quarter level that was boosted by tax considerations. Nonauto sales advanced at a 9.2 percent annual rate in the first quarter.

Industrial production fell 0.3 percent in March, following a gain of 0.5 percent in February. March cutbacks were widespread though generally moderate. Output rose at an annual rate of 2.6 percent the first quarter, compared with a 3.2 percent rate for the fourth. Capacity utilization slipped to 79.2 perent from its February level of 79.7 percent, 2.6 percentage points below its recent peak in 1984.

Housing starts decined 3.2 percent in March to an annual rate of 1,774 million units. A 4.2 percent drop for single-family starts from February's high level largely accounted for the decline. First-quarter starts, at a rate of 1.8 million units per year, posted their best performance since the second quarter of last year.

The producer price index for finished goods advanced 0.4 percent in March. Consumer food prices increased after four consecutive declines, while energy prices edged down following a February surge. The index for finished consumer goods other than food and energy rose 0.8 percent, a much larger advance than in recent months.

The merchandise trade deficit widened to $15.1 billion in February from $12.3 billion in January. Exports increased 13.6 percent, and imports jumped 17.5 percent. The January-February average deficit was $13.7 billion, compared with $14.9 billion and $14.3 billion in the third and fourth quarters of last year. Manufacturing and trade inventories increased 0.2 percent in February on top of a strong 1.0 percent jump in January. The inventory-sales ratio fell back to 1.49 after jumping to 1.55 in January.

Nonfarm businesses plan a 3.0 percent increase in this year's outlays for new plant and equipment, an upward revision from the 0.9 percent rise indicated by BEA's previous survey reported in December. After allowance for a small rise in capital goods prices, BEA projects a 1.8 percent gain in real capital spending for 1987.

Sales of domestic new cars slipped to a 7.0 million unit annual rate in the first ten days of April from the 7.3 million unit rate posted in February and March.

APRIL, 1987

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ILLINOIS GROSS STATE PRODUCT

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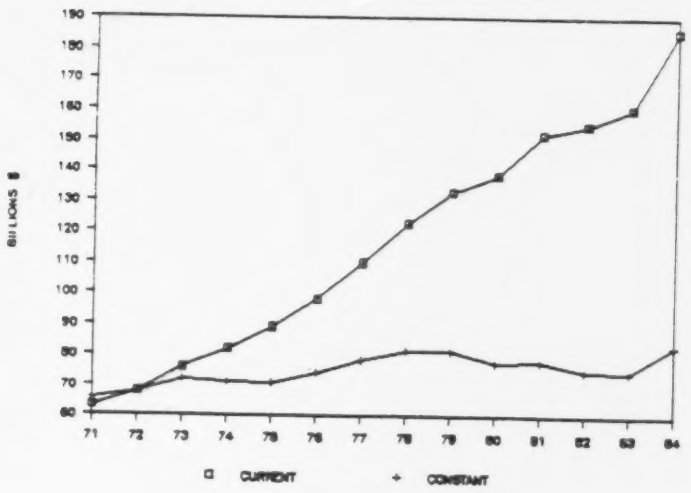
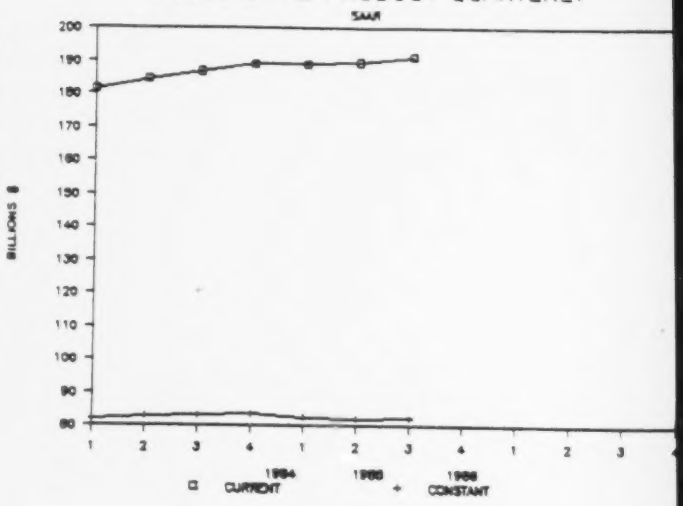


GROSS STATE PRODUCT QUARTERLY



ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	U.S.
1971	$ 63,278	$ 65,901	0.4	3.4
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8
1974	81,929	71,193	-1.3	-0.6
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.6	-1.2
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.7	-0.3
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.5
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-2.1
1983	160,567	74,564	-0.5	3.6
1984	185,660	83,106	9.5	6.5
1985				2.7
1986				2.5
1987				2.1, 2.8**
1988				2.6, 2.9**

QUARTER*
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate ILL.	U.S.
1984				
I	$181,438	$82,255	--	9.8
II	184,617	83,011	3.7	5.0
III	186,883	83,218	1.0	2.3
IV	189,131	83,649	2.1	1.5
1985				
I	189,059	82,533	-5.2	3.7
II	189,620	82,238	-1.4	1.1
III	191,322	82,441	1.0	3.0
IV				2.1
1986				
I				3.8
II				0.6
III				2.8
IV				1.1

p - preliminary r - revised (Data are non-comparable due to a methodology change.)
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
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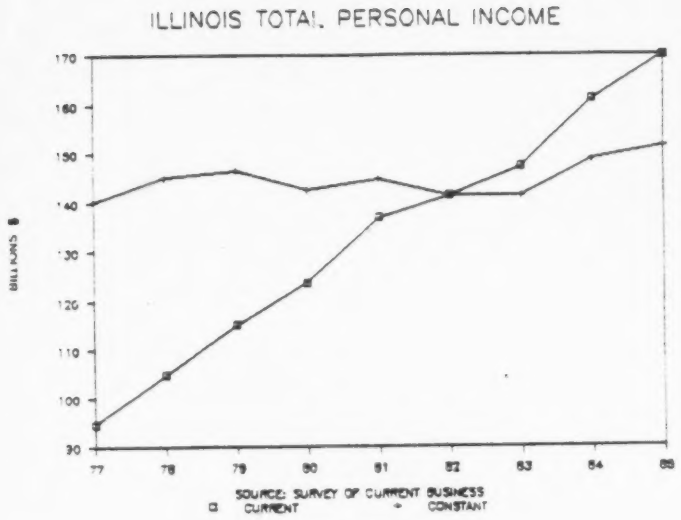
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

ILLINOIS TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME



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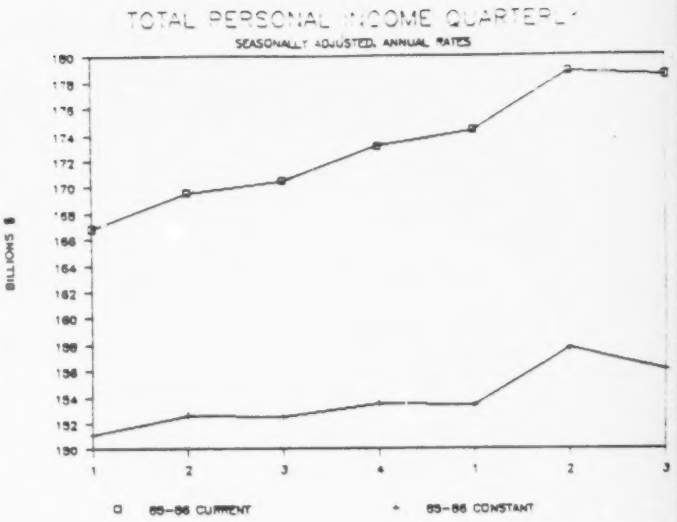

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Year	Amount (millions) Current	Amount (millions) Constant**	Percentage Change Current ILL.	Percentage Change Current U.S.	Percentage Change Constant ILL.	Percentage Change Constant U.S.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income ILL.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income U.S.
1977	$ 94,740	$140,356	NA	10.8	NA	4.2	$ 8,306	$ 7,789
1978	104,850	145,222	10.7	12.8	3.5	5.4	9,170	8,133
1979	115,247	146,625	9.9	12.2	1.0	3.1	10,089	9,025
1980	123,774	142,597	7.4	11.0	-2.7	0.6	10,819	9,910
1981	136,995	144,815	10.7	12.2	1.6	2.4	11,940	10,940
1982	141,483	141,483	3.3	6.4	-2.3	0.2	12,326	11,470
1983	147,215	141,281	4.1	6.3	-0.1	2.0	12,811	12,093
1984	161,118	148,633	9.4	9.6	5.2	5.3	13,984	13,114
1985	169,999	151,245	5.5	6.6	2.3	3.0r	14,738	13,867
1986				5.2				
1987				4.5, 4.5***				
1988				6.5, 6.6***				

	Amount* (millions)	% Change at Annual Rates ILL.	% Change at Annual Rates U.S.
1985 CURRENT			
I	$166,799	5.2	6.4
II	169,561	6.8	5.9
III	170,458	2.1	3.1
IV	173,178	6.5	7.4
1985 CONSTANT			
I	$151,086	1.8	4.9
II	152,620	4.1	2.2
III	152,467	-0.4	0.2
IV	153,527	2.8	2.9
1986 CURRENT			
I	$174,364	2.8	6.1
II	178,797	10.6	5.9
III	178,477	-0.7	2.0
IV			
1986 CONSTANT			
I	$153,354	-0.4	5.0
II	157,669	11.7	7.0
III	156,011	-4.3	-1.5
IV			

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*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1982=100).
***Chase Econometric Forecast (MARCH), Data Resources Forecast (APRIL).
SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

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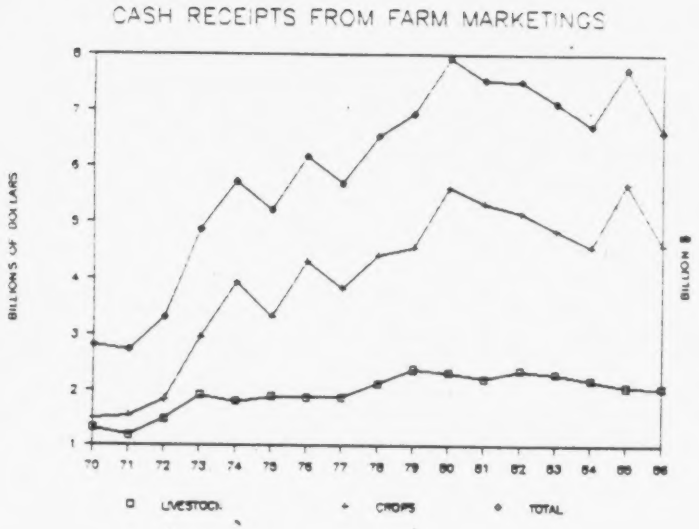
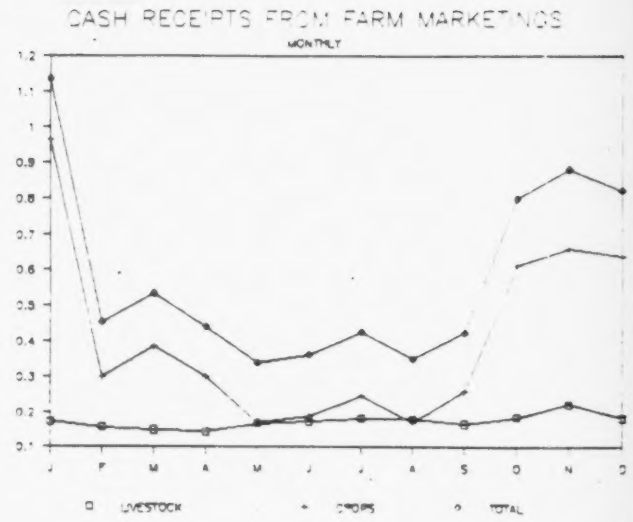
CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS





Year	ANNUAL (millions) Livestock	Crops	Total	Total Percent Change ILL.	U.S.	1986 Month	MONTH (millions) Live-stock	Crops	Total	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	U.S.
1970	$1,310	$1,496	$2,809	1.2	4.9	Jan	$172	$965	$1137	+14.3	6.3
1971	1,186	1,548	2,734	-2.7	4.8	Feb	156	298.	454	-3.6	-0.1
1972	1,483	1,832	3,315	21.3	15.7	Mar[p]	148	385	533	-16.5	--
1973	1,912	2,959	4,871	46.9	42.3	Apr	143	298	441	-10.5	-0.1
1974	1,797	3,928	5,725	17.5	6.1	May	167	171	338	-17.9	0.2
1975	1,889	3,324	5,213	-8.9	-4.6	June	173	188	361	-25.6	-0.2
1976	1,872	4,311	6,183	18.6	7.4	July	182	244	426	-28.8	-0.1
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.9	0.8	Aug	180	169	349	-13.6	-5.6
1978	2,127	4,425	6,552	15.0	16.9	Sept	166	258	424	-16.2	-8.3
1979	2,384	4,565	6,949	6.1	17.1	Oct	186	613	799	-26.6	-10.7
1980	2,324	5,626	7,949	14.4	5.9	Nov	223	659	882	-22.0	-8.9
1981	2,220	5,342	7,562	-4.9	2.6	Dec	183	638	821	+49.0	-18.3
1982	2,369	5,169	7,537	-0.3	-0.1						
1983	2,295	4,847	7,142	-5.2	-3.2						
1984	2,182	4,556	6,738	-5.7	7.2						
1985	2,063	5,704	7,768	15.3	1.2						
1986	2,051	4,594	6,645	-14.5	-6.7						

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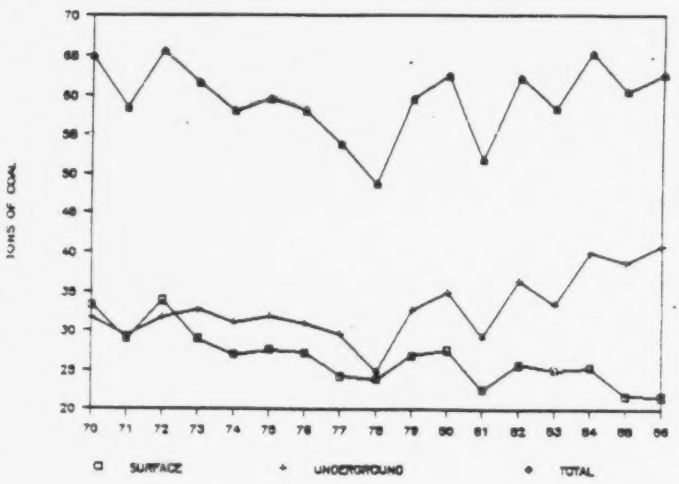
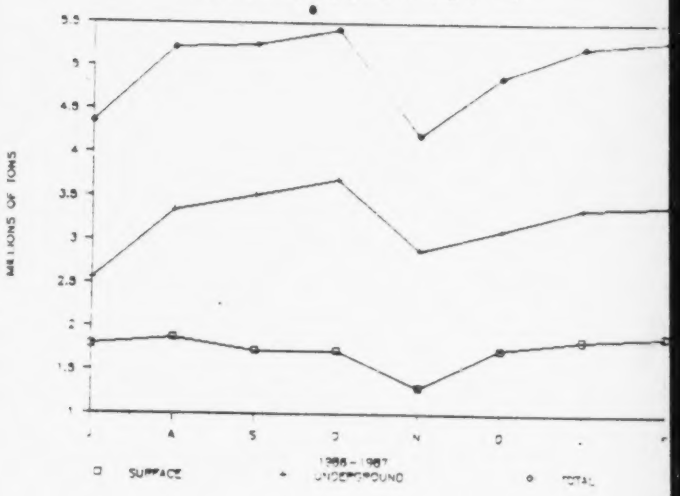
SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION

COAL PRODUCTION ANNUALLY



COAL PRODUCTION MONTHLY



ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415s	10.6
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744s	7.3
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799s	6.3
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4
1983	25,003	33,370	58,373	7.5
1984	25,344	39,945	65,289	7.5
1985	21,829	38,648	60,477	7.1
1986p	21,721	40,888	62,609	-

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

Month	TOTAL 1985	1986 SURFACE	1986 UNDERGROUND	1986 TOTAL
Jan	5,620	2,079	3,734	5,813
Feb	5,098	1,905	3,403	5,308
March	5,258	1,825	3,660	5,485
April	5,196	1,990	3,876	5,866
May	5,266	1,845	3,611	5,456
June	4,750	1,883	3,442	5,325
July	4,269	1,794	2,560	4,354
Aug	5,384	1,876	3,349	5,225
Sept	5,193	1,730	3,524	5,254
Oct	5,714	1,734	3,706	5,440
Nov	4,389	1,307	2,894	4,201
Dec	4,633	1,753	3,129	4,882
Month	1986	1987		
Jan	5,813	1,859	3,370	5,229
Feb	5,308	1,905	3,403	5,308

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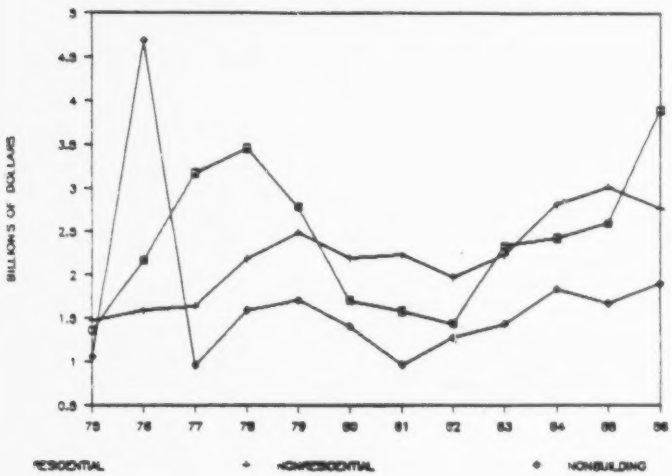
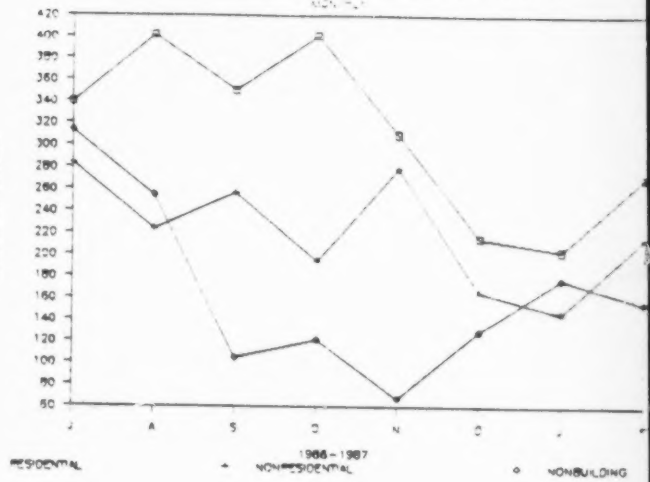
s - Affected by major strike activity.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION

CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION ANNUALLY



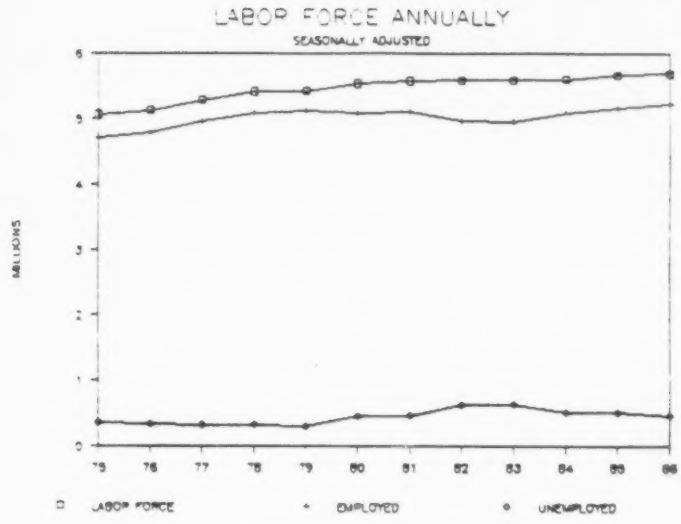


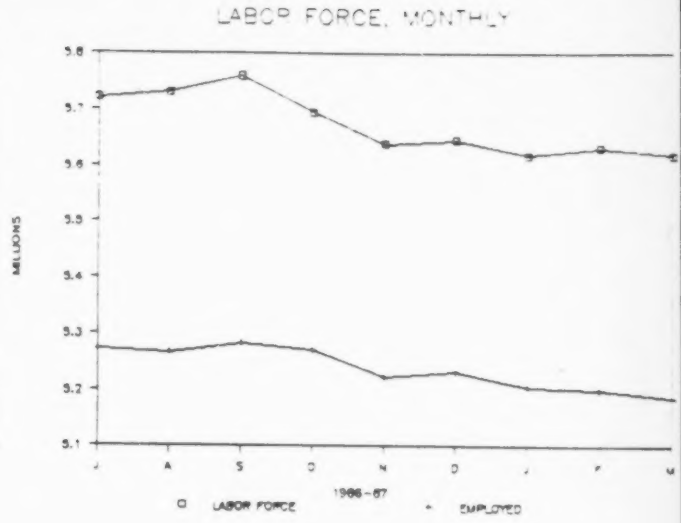
Year	ANNUAL (millions) Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Current Amount	TOTAL Constant Amount**	Current Percent Change Ill.	Current Percent Change U.S.
1975	$1,363	$1,482	$1,062	$3,907	$1,988	-10.7	-1.1
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4
1985	2,607	3,027	1,667	7,301		5.6	5.8
1986	3,901	2,767	1,900	8,568		17.4	5.0
1987						2.0	-2.0

1986 Month	MONTH (millions) Residential	Non-Res.	Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Amt.	TOTAL Cumulative Year-to-Date Ill.	TOTAL Cumulative Year-to-Date U.S.
Jan	$117	$157	$73	$347	-12	-10
Feb	158	142	169	469	+24	--
Mar	303	145	60	508	-10	-3
Apr	422	277	295	995	+65	--
May	476	242	215	933	+21	--
June	404	398	94	896	+41	+4
July	340	284	314	938	+34	+4
Aug	402	224	255	881	+30	+5
Sept	351	257	105	712	+29	--
Oct	402	195	122	719	+23	--
Nov	310	279	68	657	+23	+4
Dec	216	167	130	512	+20	--
1987 Month						
Jan	$204	$147	$178	$528	--	-3
Feb	271	216	156	643	+31	--

*Construction generally begins about 6 months later. r - revised
***Dodge Forecast (April, 1987). Figure under Illinois is actually for North Central.
SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED





ANNUAL (thousands)

Year	ILLINOIS Labor Force	ILLINOIS Employed	ILLINOIS Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Insured Unemployed Percent**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2
1985	5,673	5,160	513	146.1	3.3
1986	5,694	5,232	462		

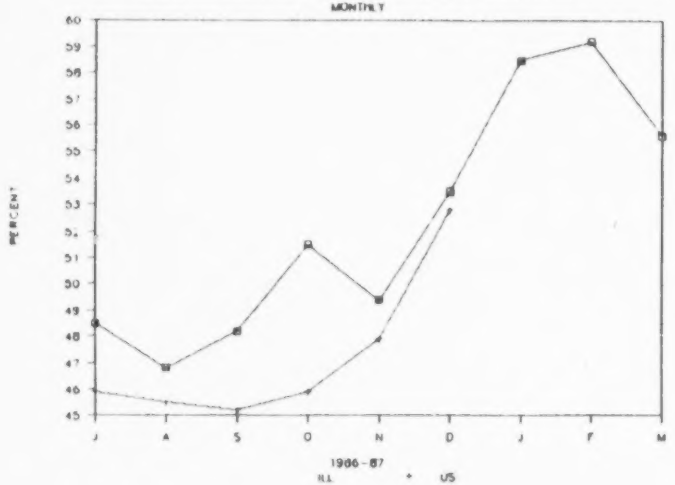
MONTH* (thousands) 1986

Month	ILLINOIS Labor Force	ILLINOIS Employed	ILLINOIS Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Insured Unemployed Per**
Jan	5666	5228	438	170.9	3.8
Feb	5694	5151	543	179.3	4.0
Mar	5667	5165	502	171.5	3.8
Apr	5683	5217	466	152.9	3.4
May	5685	5201	484	134.0	3.0
June	5733	5273	460	131.6	2.9
July	5722	5273	449	133.5	2.9
Aug	5732	5266	466	119.3	2.5
Sep	5760	5283	477	112.6	2.3
Oct	5695	5270	425	112.9	2.5
Nov	5639	5222	417	120.8	2.7
Dec	5646	5231	415	138.4	3.1
1987					
Jan	5620	5205	415	153.2	3.4
Feb	5633	5199	434	163.5	3.6
Mar	5620	5186	434	154.4	3.4

*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.
**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY REASON AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT

JOB LOSERS AS % OF UNEMPLOYED



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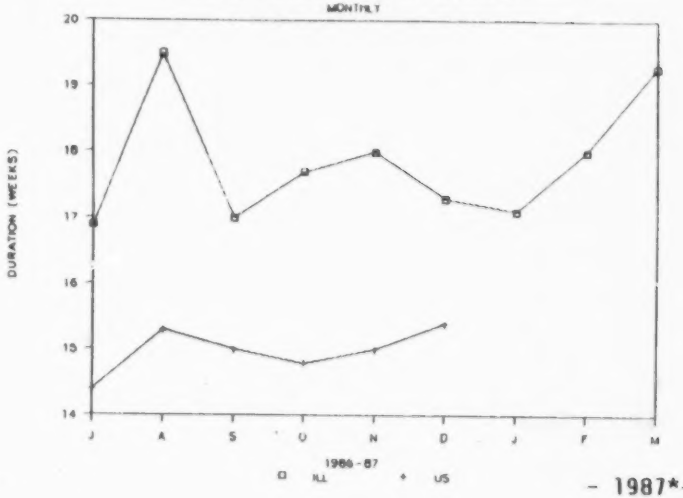
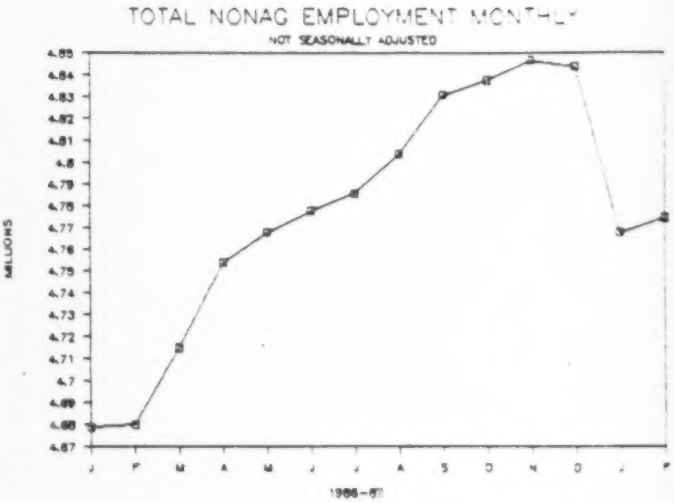


	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M
	- 1986*-												- 1987*-		
Job Losers as Percentage of Unemployed															
ILL	53.3	52.2	57.2	57.3	51.3	48.8	48.5	46.8	48.2	51.5	49.4	53.5	58.5	59.2	55.6
U.S.	52.5	53.3	53.7	50.5	48.8	45.2	45.9	45.5	45.2	45.9	47.9	52.8			
Mean Duration (in weeks)															
ILL	20.5	17.5	18.7	18.3	18.5	15.6	16.9	19.5	17.0	17.7	18.0	17.3	17.1	18.0	19.3
U.S.	14.9r	15.3	15.3	15.8	15.4	14.5	14.4	15.3	15.0	14.8	15.0	15.4			
ILLINOIS															
Number of Unemployed(000's)															
Job Losers	258.9	297.8	294.2	265.4	240.5	238.5	219.1	212.2	216.6	213.4	193.7	209.0	268.4	274.8	250.9
Job Leavers	40.0	49.8	31.1	46.0	36.3	49.2	55.4	66.2	46.9	35.9	59.0	52.4	40.4	51.5	53.7
Reentrants	114.5	145.3	117.5	126.0	120.6	111.2	95.7	117.1	139.5	123.7	89.9	67.7	98.3	78.6	98.6
New Entrants	72.7	77.1	71.3	71.8	71.0	90.4	81.8	57.9	45.6	41.1	49.6	62.4	52.3	59.1	48.1
TOTAL	486.1	570.0	514.1	509.2	468.4	489.3	452.0	453.4	448.6	414.1	392.0	391.0	459.0	464.0	451.3
Duration(000's)															
Less than 15 Weeks	320.7	398.5	320.0	347.2	336.8	350.5	308.5	352.9	302.1	298.6	271.3	281.8	315.0	309.4	283.1
15 Weeks and Over	165.4	171.5	194.1	162.0	131.6	138.8	143.5	100.5	146.5	115.5	120.7	109.2	144.0	154.6	168.2

r - revised *Not seasonally adjusted
SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT



Year	ANNUAL (thousands) Amount	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	4,346	-1.1	0.5
1971	4,296	0.4	3.5
1972	4,315	3.6	4.2
1973	4,470	1.7	1.9
1974	4,546	-2.8	-1.7
1975	4,419	3.3	3.2
1976	4,566	2.0	3.9
1977	4,656	2.9	5.1
1978	4,789	2.0	3.6
1979	4,880	-0.3	0.8
1980	4,850	-2.3	1.8
1981	4,732	-2.9	-1.7
1982	4,593	-1.4	0.6
1983	4,531	3.1	4.7
1984	4,671	3.1	4.8
1985	4,755	2.1	3.3
1986	4,777	0.7	2.6

Month	MONTH* (thousands) 1985	1986	1987	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	U.S.
Jan	4,688	4,679	4,768	1.8	-0.6p
Feb	4,688	4,680	4,775	1.7	--
Mar	4,727	4,715			
Apr	4,753	4,754			
May	4,768	4,768			
June	4,788	4,778			
July	4,764	4,786			
Aug	4,768	4,804			
Sept	4,777	4,831			
Oct	4,782	4,838			
Nov	4,780	4,847			
Dec	4,779	4,844			

r - New March, 1985 benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

	1984	1985	1986	1986* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	1987* Jan	Feb
Mining	27	28	25	24	25	26	26	26	27	27	27	26	26	26	26	24	24
Construction	155	172	178	160	147	156	172	183	190	205	205	204	201	198	188	160	153
Manufacturing	997	971	925	922	965	966	964	959	961	960	960	963	958	960	959	922	926
Transp. & Publ Util.	278	281	278	278	272	272	272	273	268	273	273	276	275	275	273	278	278
Wholesale & Ret. Trade	1148	1167	1185	1196	1152	1157	1168	1180	1184	1193	1193	1204	1216	1224	1233	1196	1194
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	322	339	347	347	337	338	340	342	344	349	349	345	345	345	346	347	347
Services	1058	1101	1126	1123	1100	1108	1112	1117	1127	1148	1148	1140	1137	1139	1136	1123	1128
Government	688	698	714	717	694	705	713	704	698	671	671	700	708	710	713	717	726
TOTAL	4672	4755	4777	4768	4692	4728	4767	4784	4799	4826	4826	4858	4868	4876	4873	4768	4775

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

	1984	1985	1986	1986* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	1987* Jan	Feb
Mining	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Construction	108	109	112	106	103	108	118	126	130	135	137	138	121	120	113	105	104
Manufacturing	691	576	549	666	667	667	666	662	665	668	658	661	563	561	561	540	540
Transp., & Publ. Util.	192	185	187	201	200	201	201	202	204	203	203	205	188	189	189	189	189
Wholesale & Retail Trade	775	725	732	831	822	826	829	835	842	842	843	843	747	755	767	737	729
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	247	243	251	261	261	262	264	266	269	863	272	268	251	251	253	252	252
Services	776	742	759	823	826	832	836	843	852	859	870	859	767	769	768	760	762
Government	398	351	357	415	420	422	422	423	410	413	403	415	358	362	363	359	363
TOTAL	3189	2933	2948	3206	3301	3320	3339	3359	3375	3386	3389	3392	2997	3009	3016	2945	2942

*Data are not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan; 1985 Bi-Meds, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora-Elgin and Joliet. March, benchmark date for annual averages and monthly statistics.
p - preliminary, r - revised. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S*
FEBRUARY, 1986 AND 1987

(thousands)

Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986
Construction	0.9	0.9	2.0	1.9	4.3	4.1	1.5	1.5	1.1	0.9	4.7	4.7	3.0	2.8	2.0	1.9
Manufacturing	4.4	4.8	7.6	7.4	32.5	32.6	13.5	14.7	5.2	5.3	30.9	32.0	45.9	45.5	3.8	3.9
Durable goods	2.3	2.9	2.3	2.2	23.7	23.7	6.8	7.7	2.0	2.0	25.0	25.9	39.3	39.1	1.6	1.7
Nondurable goods	2.1	1.9	5.3	5.2	8.8	8.9	6.7	7.0	3.2	3.3	5.9	6.1	6.6	6.4	2.2	2.2
Trans & Public Utilities	2.9	3.2	2.1	2.3	8.1	8.0	4.4	4.4	1.5	1.5	6.5	6.6	4.3	4.6	4.7	4.7
Wholesale Trade	2.4	2.4	4.1	4.0	10.9	10.9	1.6	1.6	2.0	2.0	6.9	6.9	6.6	6.5	3.8	3.3
Retail Trade	10.1	10.2	14.9	14.9	31.0	31.1	9.4	9.1	6.0	5.9	26.0	25.5	21.6	21.4	15.4	15.4
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	9.2	9.1	3.2	3.1	8.0	7.7	2.7	2.8	1.5	1.6	7.0	6.7	5.4	5.1	7.8	7.7
Services	11.2	10.9	14.3	14.0	30.0	29.2	10.2	10.1	8.2	8.0	32.1	31.7	23.9	23.8	22.5	22.6
Government	12.3	12.0	34.4	34.2	27.3	27.5	5.5	5.4	6.6	6.4	16.1	16.1	12.1	12.1	31.7	31.3
Total Non-agricultural employment	53.4	53.5	82.6	81.8	152.1	151.1	48.8	49.7	32.2	31.6	130.2	130.2	122.9	121.8	91.8	90.9

Data are not seasonally adjusted.

*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1985 benchmark date.

SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT

ANNUAL (thousands)

Year	Manufacturing Employment Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.4	-0.6
1982	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6
1983	584	372	956	-5.6	-0.9
1984	623	374	997	4.3	5.3
1985	599	372	971	-2.6	-0.3
1986	565	360	925	-4.7	-0.7p

MONTH* (thousands)

Month	1985	1986	1987	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	U.S.
Jan	989	933	922	-1.2	-0.6p
Feb	988	930	927	-0.3	
Mar	987	929	925p	-0.4p	
Apr	981	928			
May	992	923			
June	977	924			
July	980	922			
Aug	969	923			
Sept	961	925			
Oct	957	921			
Nov	949	923			
Dec	943	922			

p - preliminary r - revised
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
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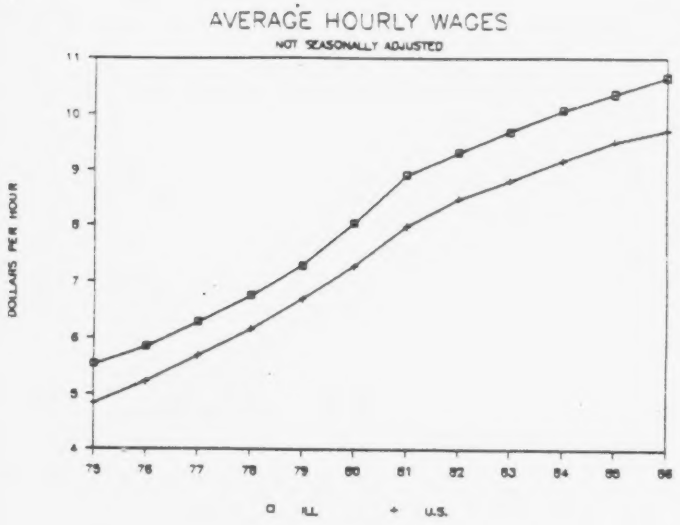
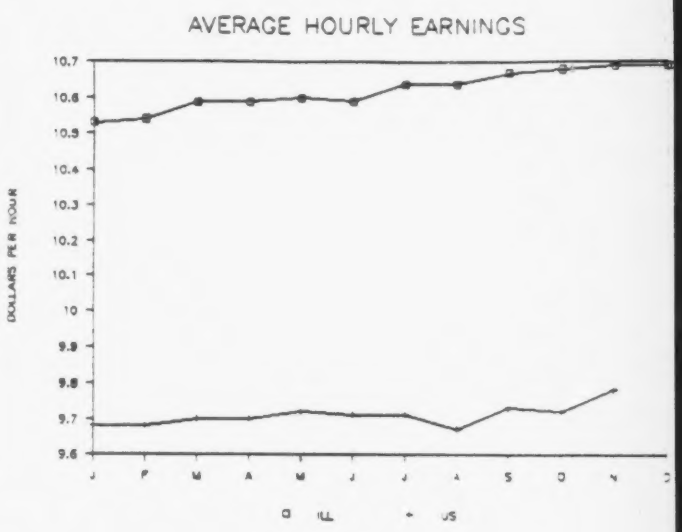
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING



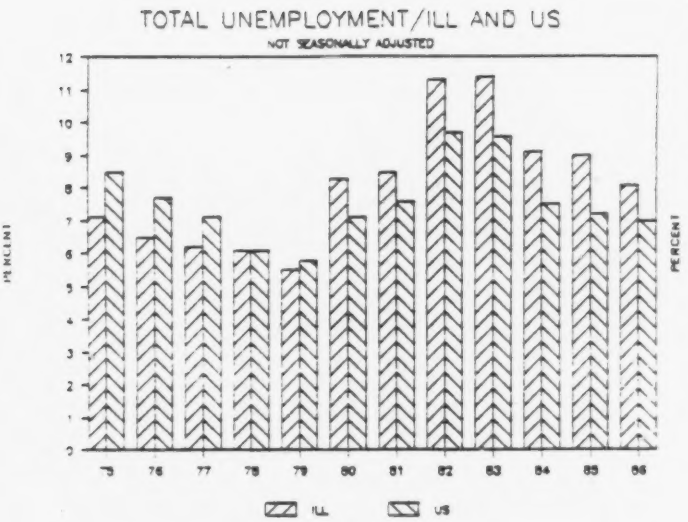


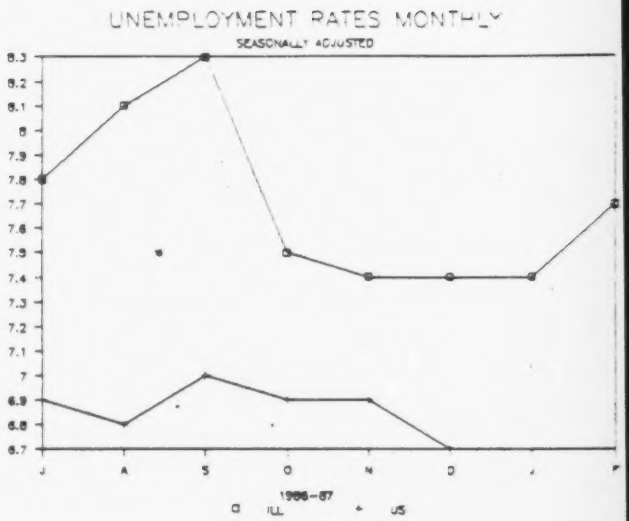
Year	Average Weekly Hours	ANNUAL Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
1975	39.7	$219.13	$ 5.53	$ 4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.98	10.08	9.18
1985	40.6	421.13	10.37	9.53
1986	40.9	436.75	10.67	9.72
1987				9.98**
1988				10.42**

1986 Month	Average Weekly Hours	MONTH* Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
Jan	40.7	$428.57	$10.53	$9.65
Feb	40.1	422.65	10.54	9.68
Mar	40.9	433.13	10.59	9.70
Apr	40.6	431.01	10.59	9.68
May	40.7	431.42	10.60	9.72
June	40.8	432.07	10.59	9.71
July	40.7	433.05	10.64	9.73
Aug	41.0	436.24	10.64	9.76
Sept	41.2	439.60	10.67	9.74
Oct	41.0	437.88	10.68	9.77
Nov	41.0	438.29	10.69	9.77
Dec	41.3	441.50	10.69	9.78
1987 Month				
Jan	41.3	$444.80	$10.77	9.78

*Data are not seasonally adjusted. March, 1985 Benchmark for 1985 annual and 1986 monthly data.
**Chase Econometrics Forecast.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE





YEAR PERCENT

	ILLINOIS			U.S.		
Annual	Total	White	Black	Total	White	Black
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9
1985	9.0	6.9	24.7	7.2		
1986	8.1			7.0		
1987				6.6, 6.6**		
1988				6.6, 6.3**		

MONTH TOTAL

	ILLINOIS		U.S.	
		Seasonally Adjusted		Seasonally Adjusted
Month	1986*	1986	1986*	1986
Jan	8.6	7.7	7.3	7.1
Feb	10.1	9.5	7.8	7.3
Mar	9.1	8.9	7.5	7.2
Apr	8.2	8.2	7.0	7.1
May	8.2	8.5	7.0	7.3
June	8.4	8.0	7.3	7.1
July	7.8	7.8	6.9	6.9
Aug	7.9	8.1	6.6	6.8
Sept	7.8	8.3	6.7	7.0
Oct	7.3	7.5	6.5	6.9
Nov	6.9	7.4	6.5	6.9
Dec	7.0	7.4	6.2	6.7
	1987*	1987	1987*	1987
Jan	8.2	7.4		6.7
Feb	8.3	7.7		6.7
Mar	8.1	7.7		6.6

*Data not seasonally adjusted.
**Chase Econometrics Forecast (MARCH), Data Resources Forecast (APRIL).
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1982	7.9	6.8	7.3	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.4	8.2	8.1	8.4	8.7
1983	7.8	9.4	9.7	8.6	8.1	8.1	8.5	8.1	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.1	7.3
1984	6.7	7.9	7.3	8.1	6.9	6.4	6.5	6.3	6.4	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.4
1985	6.3	7.4	7.1	5.9	6.8	6.5	6.3	5.8	5.7	5.3	5.6	6.6	6.1
1986	5.6p	6.4	7.5	7.0	5.9	6.2	5.7	5.1	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.7	4.8
1987		5.7											
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1982	5.7	5.2	5.0	5.1	4.9	5.3	5.8	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.4
1983	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.5	6.9	7.1	5.3	5.3	5.6	6.0
1984	6.0	7.3	6.7	7.1	6.2	6.0	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.4
1985	5.6	6.4	6.0	4.9	5.5	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.3	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.2
1986	4.8p	5.4	5.9	5.4	4.8	4.6	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.3	3.9	4.1	4.1
1987		5.3											
CHICAGO AREA:													
1982	10.6	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	10.5	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	8.7	8.5	8.5
1984	8.3	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.3	7.4	7.6
1985	7.7	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.0
1986	6.9p	7.3	8.6	7.9	6.9	6.8	7.0	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.9	6.4	6.3
1987		7.2											
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	15.8	9.4	9.4	9.6	9.6	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.8	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.2
1983	16.9	12.1	12.5	11.4	10.9	10.9	11.8	10.8	10.5	9.2	9.2	8.5	8.5
1984	14.0	9.4	8.8	9.4	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	7.4	7.6
1985	12.8	8.2	8.0	7.0	8.1	8.1	8.0	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.0
1986	11.5p	13.7	15.5	13.1	11.9	10.6	10.7	10.4	11.8	12.0	9.9	9.3	9.5
1987		10.4											
DECATUR: MSA													
1982	15.6	12.3	12.3	12.9	11.8	17.7	15.4	16.1	19.2	16.2	16.5	18.3	17.7
1983	14.9	18.7	19.0	16.5	16.3	16.6	16.5	15.2	13.8	12.1	11.3	11.4	11.3
1984	10.3	12.9	12.0	12.6	10.4	9.6	9.4	10.2	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1
1985	10.8	10.9	10.8	9.7	11.1	11.2	10.9	10.6	10.9	10.9	11.1	11.3	10.5
1986	10.8p	10.8	12.7	11.6	11.1	11.5	11.1	10.5	12.0	11.1	9.7	9.1	8.6
1987		10.6											
PEORIA: MSA													
1982	13.9	9.8	10.7	10.7	11.4	11.9	16.1	16.2	14.9	16.1	16.8	18.3	17.5
1983	16.0	18.4	19.3	17.5	16.4	16.1	18.4	16.6	15.9	14.2	13.3	12.9	12.7
1984	11.3	14.5	13.4	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.6	10.1	9.7	10.1	9.3	9.7
1985	11.1	12.1	11.5	10.3	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	10.7	10.5	11.0	10.8	9.8
1986	9.1p	10.1	11.6	10.5	9.2	9.3	9.2	8.5	8.7	9.4	7.7	7.5	7.9
1987		9.4											

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ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1982	16.5	11.9	15.3	12.3	15.1	18.8	19.3	19.3	18.5	16.0	20.6	21.3	17.5
1983	14.2	20.0	17.1	16.2	15.2	14.3	15.2	13.7	12.8	11.1	10.8	13.6	10.3
1984	9.4	11.4	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.5	8.9	9.0	8.3	8.7
1985	9.8	10.0	9.9	8.7	10.2	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.1	9.8	10.6	10.1	9.0
1986	9.0p	9.5	10.8	9.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	8.5	8.6	8.9	8.5	8.1	7.8
1987		8.9											
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1982	7.7	8.3	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.7	7.4	7.4	6.7	7.8	7.9	9.4	9.8
1983	8.3	9.7	10.3	9.8	9.0	8.8	9.2	8.1	7.9	6.7	6.6	6.6	7.4
1984	7.0	8.3	7.7	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.2	6.3	6.8	6.0	6.6
1985	6.7	7.8	7.3	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.1	6.4	6.7	7.4	6.8
1986	5.9p	6.8	8.0	6.9	6.0	5.7	5.8	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.1
1987		6.3											
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1982	12.2	11.1	11.7	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.2	12.8	11.7	12.9	12.4	13.2	13.5
1983	12.4	14.7	14.8	13.0	12.2	12.4	14.0	13.0	12.6	11.2	10.4	10.4	10.5
1984	10.6	12.8	12.1	12.6	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.2	9.8	10.2	8.8	9.5
1985	11.5	11.6	11.3	9.2	10.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.6	9.4	9.8	10.4	9.3
1986	9.2p	9.7	11.9	10.3	8.9	9.2	9.8	9.1	8.9	8.8	8.2	8.0	7.7
1987		10.5											

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ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE*

				1986						1987
COUNTY	1984	1985	1986	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan
Adams	11.0	11.4	9.5	9.5	8.9	8.8	8.4	7.6	7.7	9.9
Alexander	25.7	24.7	20.6	19.7	19.2	17.8	17.6	17.4	19.7	21.7
Bond	11.9	12.1	11.1	12.0	9.5	10.1	8.7	9.2	10.3	11.9
Boone	7.9	9.9	7.9	7.5	7.1	6.4	6.4	6.5	7.2	8.9
Brown	9.6	9.6	8.3	7.0	6.4	5.1	4.3	6.5	7.7	10.6
Bureau	9.8	10.0	9.4	8.2	7.6	7.3	6.8	7.5	8.4	10.7
Calhoun	21.5	21.1	19.8	16.0	15.9	14.7	17.9	16.6	19.5	21.9
Carroll	8.1	12.8	9.3	8.6	8.5	8.2	7.4	8.0	8.0	9.7
Cass	9.8	7.6	9.8	8.5	7.6	7.6	8.1	9.3	9.7	12.1
Champaign	6.0	5.5	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.3	3.9	4.1	4.1	5.3
Christian	10.9	9.7	8.7	8.1	9.2	8.0	7.6	8.5	9.3	10.8
Clark	15.9	14.9	13.2	11.7	11.6	10.0	10.3	11.2	11.7	15.4
Clay	15.2	14.9	16.2	14.5	14.1	12.9	12.3	12.6	12.6	17.0
Clinton	10.9	10.9	10.2	9.3	7.8	8.3	7.7	8.7	8.2	11.4
Coles	8.2	9.2	8.3	8.0	7.8	7.4	7.6	7.7	9.3	9.0
Cook	8.6	8.6	7.8	7.5	7.7	7.8	7.2	6.7	6.5	7.6
Crawford	13.5	16.3	16.4	14.5	14.3	13.1	14.9	14.6	15.2	19.3
Cumberland	13.3	12.0	12.4	9.7	8.9	9.4	7.3	8.3	11.9	13.2
DeKalb	6.7	7.2	6.3	6.3	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.3	6.3
DeWitt	10.0	11.2	13.3	14.7	13.6	13.3	12.7	12.1	11.6	12.0
Douglas	7.8	8.9	8.0	7.3	7.4	6.5	6.9	8.1	8.8	9.1
DuPage	6.2	5.8	4.6	5.0	5.1	5.2	4.8	4.4	4.6	4.8
Edgar	15.7	15.7	12.8	11.0	11.1	10.4	10.0	10.8	11.1	15.3
Edwards	11.1	11.8	12.8	11.8	13.2	12.6	12.1	11.5	11.1	13.4
Effingham	10.7	10.9	9.6	7.9	7.5	7.3	7.2	7.4	8.4	10.4
Fayette	16.4	14.5	16.5	12.9	12.8	12.1	11.6	11.7	13.1	18.7
Ford	9.8	7.8	7.4	5.6	5.6	5.6	7.1	7.7	8.3	9.1
Franklin	16.6	15.7	16.1	14.2	16.2	16.3	15.8	14.7	14.7	19.0
Fulton	14.9	13.0	12.1	10.0	9.4	9.7	8.8	8.9	9.4	13.7
Gallatin	19.4	16.7	17.6	17.9	18.2	15.9	13.4	14.7	15.9	18.1
Greene	10.8	10.0	9.2	9.5	8.6	8.2	8.1	8.2	8.7	11.1
Grundy	9.8	10.2	9.3	8.3	8.1	7.9	7.2	8.2	9.2	11.3
Hamilton	18.9	19.5	20.1	18.7	18.4	17.9	17.4	17.1	18.6	23.3
Hancock	10.2	10.0	9.6	9.3	7.8	9.4	8.0	7.6	8.2	9.2
Hardin	18.0	16.6	15.0	15.3	15.0	13.7	13.5	11.9	12.1	14.4
Henderson	12.2	12.3	11.4	11.5	11.2	12.3	9.3	8.8	8.0	9.9
Henry	12.9	12.5	12.3	10.1	11.1	10.8	9.2	8.8	10.4	11.4
Iroquois	8.9	8.8	8.3	6.9	7.6	6.0	6.0	7.3	8.5	10.3
Jackson	8.7	8.8	8.3	8.3	8.4	7.6	7.0	7.1	7.2	9.4
Jasper	12.5	12.8	12.4	11.4	12.5	10.0	8.9	8.8	8.9	12.6
Jefferson	13.6	14.2	13.5	13.8	14.7	14.2	13.0	12.9	13.6	16.2
Jersey	12.8	12.5	11.0	9.0	8.9	9.0	9.3	8.5	7.9	11.2
Jo Daviess	8.8	9.7	8.3	6.5	7.1	6.8	7.5	7.9	8.0	9.4
Johnson	17.7	14.4	15.0	15.0	13.0	12.7	12.7	13.2	13.8	19.6
Kane	7.9	8.0	7.0	6.5	6.6	6.3	5.9	5.5	5.7	7.3
Kankakee	12.2	11.6	10.1	9.3	9.0	8.8	8.5	8.2	8.3	10.0
Kendall	6.6	7.4	6.3	6.3	5.7	5.2	5.2	4.6	4.9	6.5
Knox	13.1	15.8	13.0	12.3	11.5	11.9	10.7	10.8	10.7	12.5
Lake	6.1	6.0	11.7	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.5	5.3
LaSalle	12.7	13.4	5.2	11.1	10.7	9.7	9.3	9.3	10.2	12.8
Lawrence	12.6	17.3	19.9	18.2	19.8	19.6	18.0	18.1	18.7	21.3
Lee	11.3	10.1	9.1	7.7	7.0	7.4	7.3	8.0	8.2	9.4

*Data not seasonally adjusted.
r: revised p: preliminary
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE*

			1986						1987
COUNTY	1984	1985	1986	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan
Livingston	8.8	11.5	6.9	6.4	5.4	4.8	4.9	4.6	6.0	8.0
Logan	9.6	7.4	7.1	6.4	6.1	6.4	6.0	6.8	8.0	9.0
Macon	10.3	10.8	10.6	10.5	12.0	11.1	9.7	9.2	8.6	7 4
Macoupin	10.8	11.0	9.7	9.1	10.6	8.9	9.3	9.4	10.0	7.3
Madison	10.9	10.5	9.9	9.5	9.2	8.6	8.4	8.3	8.2	5.7
Marion	13.2	13.7	13.5	12.0	12.8	11.5	10.8	12.5	12.3	10.6
Marshall	9.8	10.0	7.8	6.5	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.5	7.5	10.6
Mason	10.7	11.1	12.3	10.0	10.0	10.3	10.0	10.0	10.7	10.1
Massac	15.2	14.6	13.0	15.0	13.7	12.4	10.8	9.9	9.7	15.1
McDonough	11.1	10.2	7.9	9.4	8.9	7.2	6.7	5.8	6.3	8.8
McHenry	7.3	8.0	6.3	5.9	5.5	5.4	4.9	4.9	5.5	13.8
McLean	6.7	6.3	5.5	5.1	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.7	4.8	11.9
Menard	6.0	6.9	6.9	4.5	4.4	6.0	5.5	6.5	7.3	10.2
Mercer	14.1	12.4	12.2	10.6	10.7	11.2	9.6	9.5	10.5	12.6
Monroe	9.4	8.7	8.7	7.8	8.5	9.3	7.5	6.9	6.5	10.5
Montgomery	14.7	14.2	11.4	12.7	10.8	10.4	10.2	10.3	11.1	12.0
Morgan	8.5	8.3	7.7	7.5	7.2	6.6	5.9	6.4	6.8	7.7
Moultrie	8.6	7.8	8.4	7.4	8.1	8.9	7.8	7.4	8.7	10.2
Ogle	9.4	9.9	9.1	9.2	8.0	7.8	7.3	7.9	8.7	9.4
Peoria	11.3	11.1	9.0	8.7	8.9	9.6	7.7	7.3	7.6	9.3
Perry	14.9	14.4	15.1	13.5	15.5	15.1	15.1	14.6	15.0	18.9
Piatt	8.9	8.1	9.6	9.1	10.1	9.7	8.7	9.2	10.3	10.4
Pike	13.9	12.7	12.0	11.6	9.4	7.7	7.2	7.6	9.6	14.2
Pope	17.2	16.4	13.0	11.9	11.9	10.9	11.2	11.8	12.7	14.7
Pulaski	22.0	22.9	18.7	20.5	18.9	15.5	14.1	13.8	14.0	17.2
Putnam	11.0	11.9	11.2	8.8	9.5	7.7	7.1	9.9	10.8	14.0
Randolph	10.5	9.3	9.5	9.5	8.9	8.5	9.0	9.3	9.5	11.4
Richland	15.1	17.8	18.4	18.5	18.4	17.6	14.7	15.4	16.1	19.7
Rock Isld	14.4	13.0	11.1	10.5	12.1	12.5	10.1	9.5	9.1	10.2
St. Clair	10.2	9.8	10.6	8.8	8.9	8.6	8.1	7.6	7.3	10.7
Saline	15.9	15.0	15.6	15.9	15.1	13.8	15.0	14.5	14.9	16.7
Sangamon	7.1	6.7	5.6	5.5	5.6	5.6	4.9	4.9	4.9	6.1
Schuyler	12.3	10.1	9.5	8.2	7.0	6.7	6.5	7.6	8.7	10.8
Scott	9.5	10.1	9.3	8.2	6.0	6.3	6.6	6.4	8.5	12.3
Shelby	12.8	11.5	10.8	9.1	11.1	8.7	8.6	9.4	11.3	13.0
Stark	9.5	9.5	9.3	7.4	10.1	10.0	8.6	6.5	8.6	11.2
Stephenson	7.6	9.8	8.0	7.7	8.0	8.0	7.4	5.7	6.2	7.1
Tazewell	11.9	11.5	9.5	9.1	9.2	9.8	8.3	8.2	8.8	10.2
Union	16.7	14.8	13.5	12.5	11.9	10.3	9.8	10.2	12.0	16.2
Vermilion	13.0	14.0	12.9	12.0	11.5	12.2	11.0	11.1	10.8	13.3
Wabash	10.4	12.2	12.9	13.0	16.6	12.2	11.4	11.7	12.0	14.0
Warren	11.1	11.2	13.6	16.6	16.8	17.0	15.2	13.9	11.5	11.8
Washington	12.1	10.1	9.3	8.5	8.4	8.2	8.3	8.6	9.6	12.3
Wayne	16.4	16.9	17.3	16.9	18.2	16.1	14.8	14.4	15.3	17.8
White	17.2	16.7	18.9	20.3	20.6	20.5	18.6	17.7	18.6	20.2
Whiteside	12.2	12.7	9.0	8.5	8.7	8.5	7.7	7.9	8.0	8.4
Will	8.6	8.3	7.2	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.6	6.5	7.0	8.0
Williamson	17.4	17.7	13.9	13.6	12.9	12.4	13.0	13.1	13.2	14.5
Winnebago	9.6	9.8	8.8	8.7	8.8	9.3	8.7	8.3	7.8	8.9
Woodford	8.9	9.1	6.5	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.0	5.2	5.9	7.2

*Data not seasonally adjusted.
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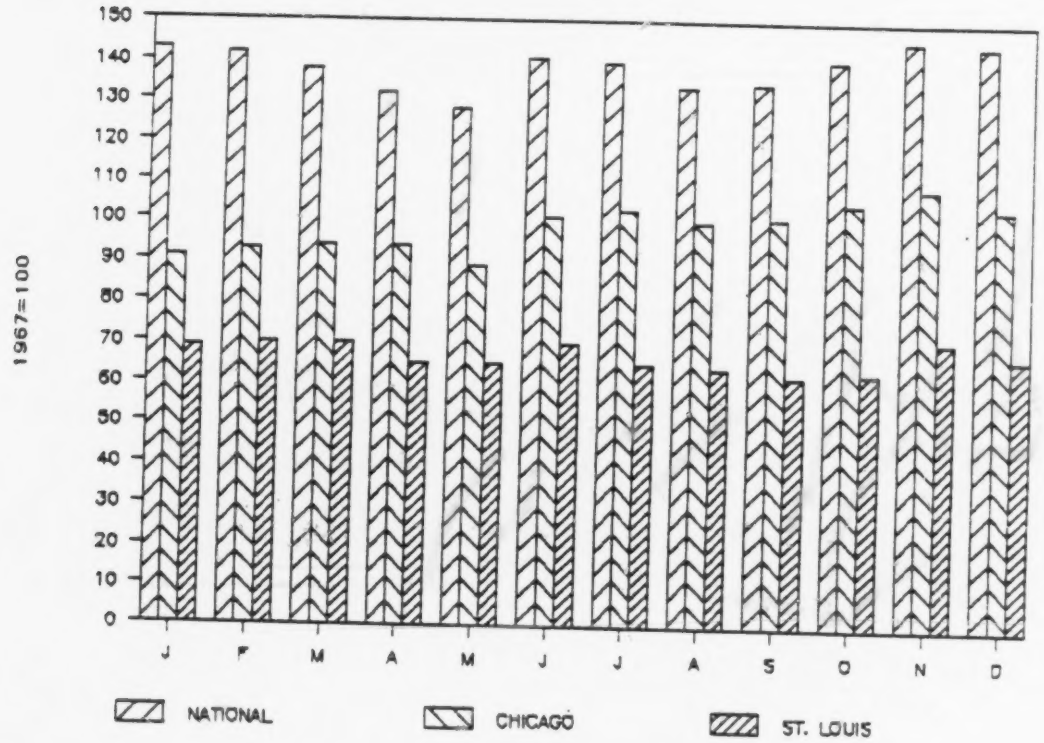
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES



HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES*
(Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National Index (51 Papers)	1985	141	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136	140	144	145
	1986	143	142	138	132	128	141	140	134	135	141	146	145
	1987	142											
East North Central (10 Papers)	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	90r	86	85	86	93	96
	1986	90	92	91	90	86	96	94	92	90	93	99	96
	1987	92											
Chicago	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101	98	95	96	103	104
	1986	91	93	94	94	89	101	103	100	101	105	109	104
	1987	98											
St. Louis**	1985	51	72	72	64	64	73	67	65	67	64	64	67
	1986	69	70	70	65	65	70	65	64	62	63	71	67
	1987	67											

*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.
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**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.
SOURCE: The Conference Board.

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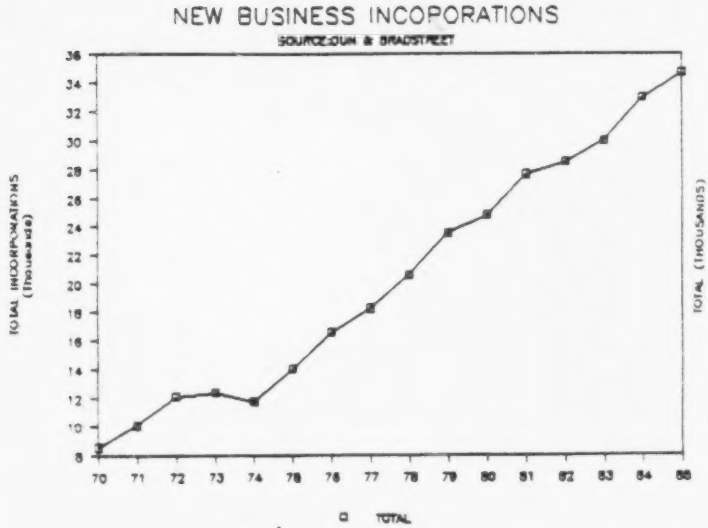
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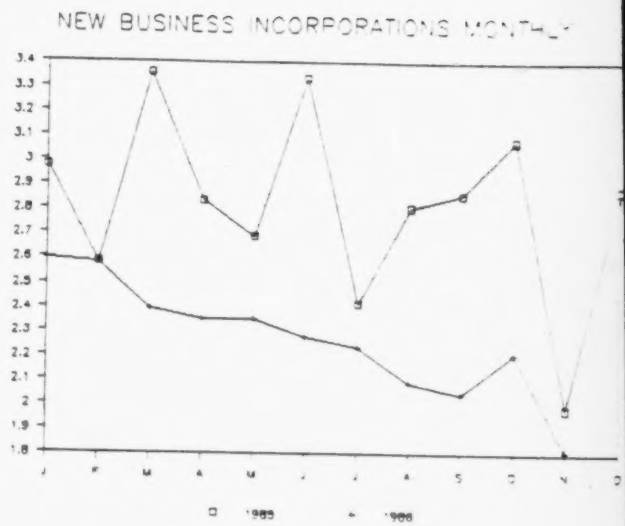
TOTAL



ANNUAL

Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8
1985	34,691	5.3	5.3

MONTH*

Month	1984	1985	1986	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	2,649	2,977	2,598	-12.7	9.4
Feb	2,295	2,584	2,584	6.7	11.5
Mar	2,251	3,358	2,392	-28.8	6.1
Apr	2,961	2,837	2,349	-17.2	8.1
May	2,667	2,688	2,352	-12.5	-0.6
June	3,087	3,336	2,276	-31.8	-0.8
July	2,459	2,415	2,238	-7.3	4.5
Aug	2,507	2,807	2,089	-25.6	-3.7
Sept	2,951	2,858	2,041	-3.3	6.3
Oct	2,740	3,078	2,211	-28.2	-1.7
Nov	2,366	1,985	1,814	-8.6	-4.0
Dec	3,415	2,874			
TOTAL	32,348	33,797	24,944		

*Data are not seasonally adjusted.

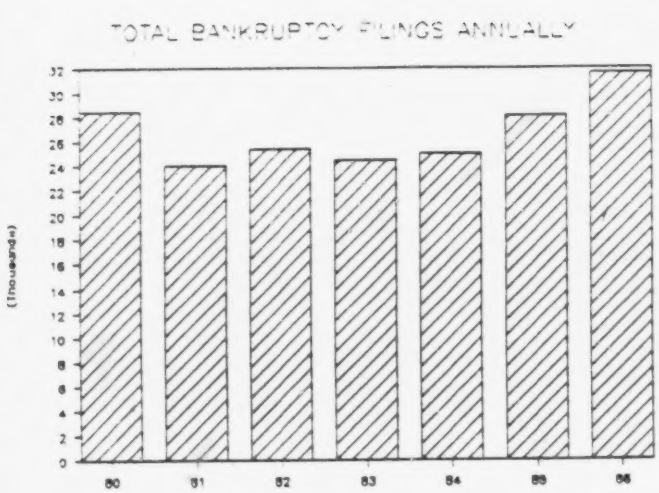
REGIONAL COMPOSITION

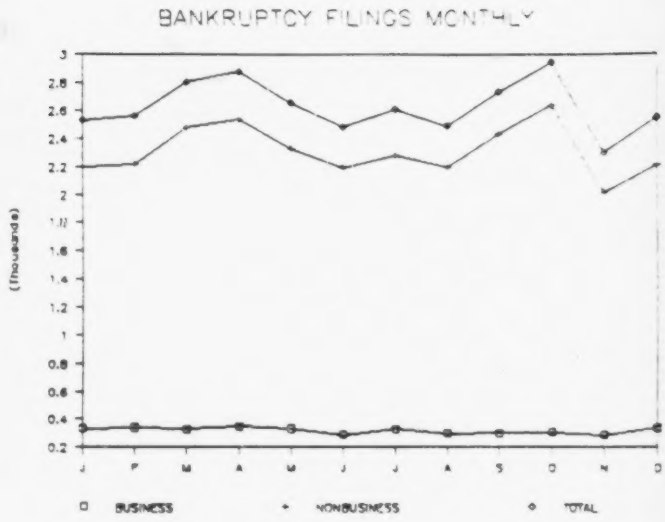
Percent of Total

Region	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
New England	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.7
Middle Atlantic	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7	18.0
E. North Central	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.5
W. North Central	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.8
South Atlantic	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8	25.2
E. South Central	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9
W. South Central	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9	9.6
Mountain	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3	6.9
Pacific	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0	12.4
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE



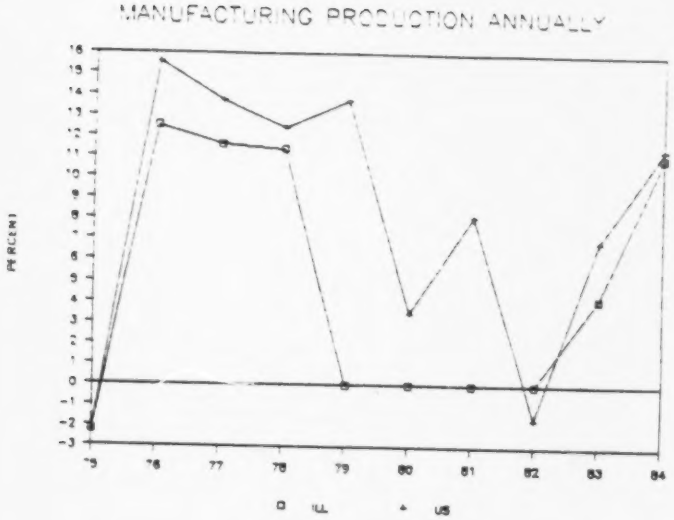


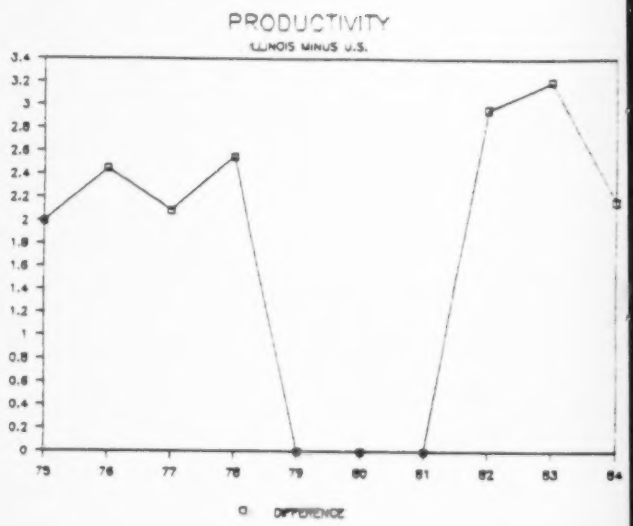
Annual	Business Filings			Nonbusiness Filings			Total Filings
	No.	Cen.	So.	No.	Cen.	So.	
1980	2377	821	343	17,513	5175	2115	28,344
1981	1698	693	263	15,567	3826	1909	23,956
1982	2232	879	389	16,435	4067	1313	25,315
1983	2199	917	438	15,623	4023	1203	24,403
1984	2012	1099	534	15,994	4154	1194	24,987
1985	2031	1422	549	17,883	4765	1465	28,115
1986							31,594

1986 Month	Business	Nonbusiness	Total
Jan	333	2199	2532
Feb	341	2220	2561
Mar	331	2481	2812
Apr	349	2535	2884
May	332	2327	2659
Jun	289	2192	2481
Jul	329	2284	2613
Aug	299	2195	2494
Sep	301	2442	2743
Oct	305	2646	2951
Nov	288	2019	2307
Dec	337	2220	2557

SOURCE: U.S. District Courts

ILLINOIS
MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY





Year	-------PRODUCTION------- VALUE ADDED (million)	PERCENT CHANGE Ill.	PERCENT CHANGE U.S.	Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)	-PRODUCTIVITY*- Ill.	-PRODUCTIVITY*- U.S.	----U.S. MANUFACTURING--- Industrial Production Index (1977=100)	----U.S. MANUFACTURING--- Capacity Utilization Rate (Percent)
1975	$32,089	-2.2	-2.2	$11,198	20.38	18.38	83.4	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	15.6	11,952	22.62	20.17	91.9	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	13.7	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	12.4	13,949	26.31	23.75	107.1	84.2
1979	NA	NA	13.7	NA	NA	26.39	111.5	84.6
1980	NA	NA	3.5	NA	NA	28.93	108.2	79.3
1981	NA	NA	8.2	19,046	NA	31.93	110.5	78.3
1982	47,705	NA	-1.6	17,394	37.97	35.01	102.2	70.3
1983	49,734	4.2	7.0	17,207	40.59	37.38	110.2	74.0
1984	55,246	11.1	11.5	18,029	42.16	39.99	121.8	80.8
1985							124.5	80.3
1986							125.0	79.2

--U.S. MANUFACTURING-- MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
		(SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)											
Industrial Prod. Index	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.5	128.1	129.3
	'86	129.8	128.8	128.0	128.9	128.6	128.0	128.0	125.1	125.1	125.2	125.9	126.4
	'87	126.8	127.1	126.7									
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'84	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.1	80.1	80.7	80.4	79.6	80.1	80.5
	'86	80.7	80.0	79.1	79.6	79.3	78.7	78.5	79.2	79.0	79.0	79.4	79.5
	'87	79.7	79.8										

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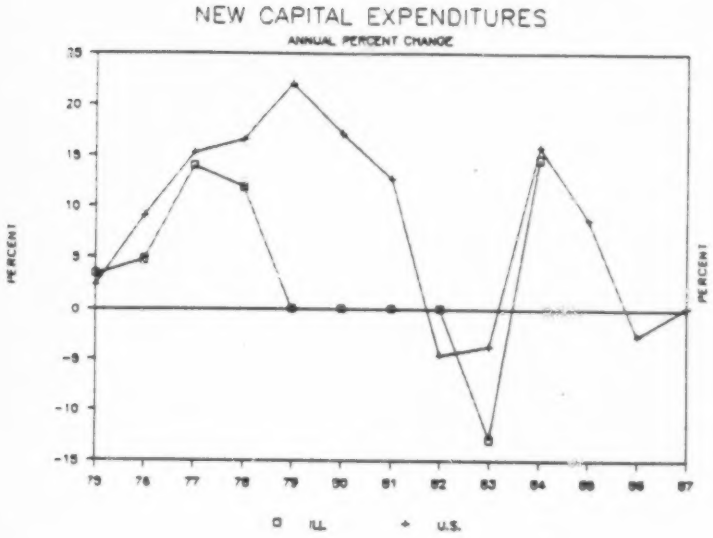
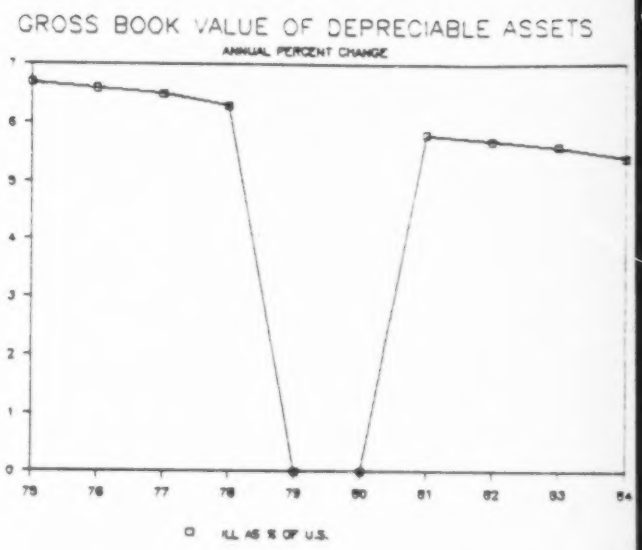
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING





Year	(Millions of Dollars) Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change Ill.	Total % Change U.S.	(Millions of Dollars) Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1975	$494	$1,734	$2,229	3.4	2.3	$7,172	$17,486	$24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,830	27,664	37,494	5.8
1982	556	2,815	3,372	NA	-4.6	10,107	29,245	39,352	5.7
1983	460	2,476	2,936	-12.9	-3.7	9,962	30,656	40,618	5.6
1984	612	2,752	3,364	14.6	15.8	9,993	31,528	41,521	5.4
1985					8.7				
1986					-2.6				
1987**					0.2				

*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.
**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending -- U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey.

SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

INSTRUMENT	1983	1984	1985	1986	1986 July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	1987 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
Federal Funds	9.06	10.22	8.10	6.80	6.56	6.17	5.89	5.85	6.04	6.91	6.43	6.10	6.13		
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	8.50	8.80	7.69	6.33	6.16	5.82	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50		
Prime Rate	11.16	12.04	9.93	8.33	8.16	7.90	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50		
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)															
3 month	8.61	9.52	7.48	5.98	5.83	5.53	5.21	5.18	5.35	5.53	5.43	5.59	5.59		
6 month	8.73	9.76	7.65	6.03	5.86	5.55	5.25	5.26	5.42	5.55	5.44	5.59	5.60		
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	9.56	10.73	8.28		6.54	6.06	5.88	5.88	5.96	6.29	6.10	6.09	6.35		
Bankers Accept. (90 day)	1.89	8.90	7.92	6.39	6.23	5.80	5.60	5.58	5.67	5.96	5.74	5.99	6.09		
Commercial Paper															
1 month	8.87	10.05	7.94	6.62	6.42	6.02	5.74	5.74	5.84	6.63	5.95	6.12	6.22		
3 month	8.88	10.10	7.95	6.49	6.33	5.92	5.68	5.68	5.76	6.10	5.84	6.05	6.16		
6 month	8.89	10.16	8.01	6.39	6.24	5.83	5.61	5.61	5.69	5.88	5.76	5.99	6.10		
Certificates of Deposit															
3 month	9.07	10.37	8.05	6.52	6.37	5.92	5.71	5.69	5.76	6.04	5.87	6.10	6.17		
6 month	9.27	10.68	8.25	6.51	6.36	5.92	5.71	5.70	5.76	5.95	5.85	6.10	6.18		
U.S. Treasury Bonds															
1 year	9.57	10.89	8.43	6.46	6.27	5.93	5.77	5.72	5.80	5.87	5.78	5.96	6.03		
3 year	10.45	11.89	9.64	7.07	6.86	6.33	6.62	6.56	6.46	6.48	6.41	6.56	6.58		
10 year	11.10	12.44	10.62	7.68	7.30	7.17	7.45	7.43	7.25	7.11	7.08	7.25	7.25		
State & Local Bonds															
"Bond Buyer" Series	9.51	10.10	9.10	7.32	7.51	7.21	7.11	7.08	6.85	6.86	6.61	--	6.66		
Corporate Bonds AAA	12.04	12.71	11.37	9.02	8.88	8.72	8.89	8.86	8.68	8.49	8.36	8.38	8.36		
A - rated Utility Bond*	12.73	13.81	12.06	9.61	9.57	9.51	9.56	9.48	9.31	9.08	--	--	8.84		
Conventional Mortgages	13.43	13.86	12.28	10.18	10.51	10.20	10.01	9.97	9.70	9.31	9.23	9.12	9.08		
Dividend/Price Ratio															
Preferred Stocks	11.02	11.59	10.44	8.68	8.68	8.42	8.10	8.17	8.07						
Common Stocks	4.40	4.64	4.25	3.41	3.41	3.36	3.43	3.49	3.40						

* Changed from AAA utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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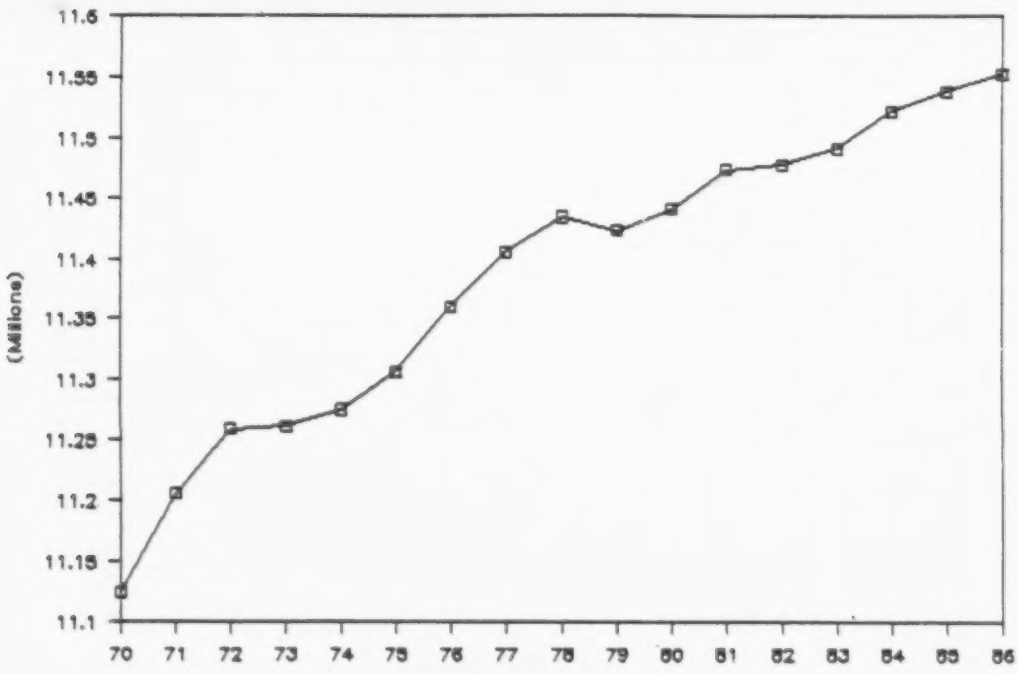
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System (Statistical Release, Bulletin).

ILLINOIS POPULATION



RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

Year		Total	Change	Components of Change: Black	Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Total Percent Change: Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,441*	+8	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.2	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+33		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,478	+4				-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,491	+13		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	0.9
1984	(July 1 EST.)	11,522	+31				-35,000	0.3	0.9
1985	(July 1 EST.)	11,538	+16				N/A	0.1	0.9
1986	(July 1 EST.)	11,553	+15						

*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

PROJECTIONS	Illinois Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	U.S. Department of Commerce Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,585	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE (millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1982	FY 1985	1985 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1482	$ 804	15.3
Feed Grains	214	1284	1195	15.8
Wheat & Flour	28	309	121	2.7
Meats & Prod.	13	45	38	3.3
Hides & Skins	8	26	36	2.9
Fats & Oils	10	22	19	3.1
Other	81	81	79	1.2
TOTAL	$758	$3313	$2339	7.5
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(2)	(3)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS (thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	N/A
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	108.9
Trade	30.9	48.0	39.7
Business Services	15.2	32.6	16.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	11.6
Other	21.7	22.3	19.7
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS (millions)

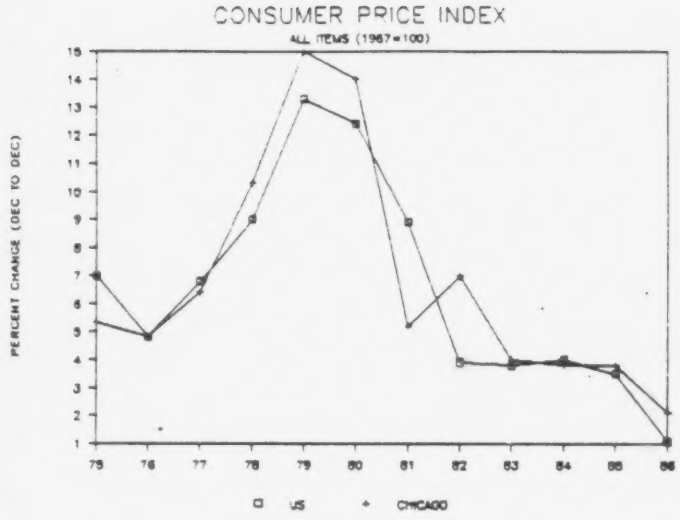
	1977 Direct	1977 Supporting	1977 Total	1983 Direct	1983 Supporting	1983 Total	Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts. 1983	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands) 1977	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands) 1983
Machines, exc. Elec.	$2,892	$ 566	$3,458	$2,139	$ 662	$ 2,801	20.2	40.8	26.6
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273	222	1,090	1,312	18.2	14.0	9.5
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760	568	784	1,352	12.0	6.7	5.4
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847	796	370	1,166	11.6	17.4	15.5
Food & Kindred	736	196	932	818	291	1,109	5.5	3.5	2.8
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917	315	733	1,048	10.6	15.8	12.3
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554	557	155	712	11.4	4.9	4.7
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217	159	276	434	11.2	4.5	4.2
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198	38	361	399	3.7	0.3	0.3
Instruments	254	57	312	243	67	310	12.5	6.7	4.3
Paper & Allied	35	141	176	33	238	270	7.6	2.5	2.3
Other	360	212	572	474	293	770	4.9	23.0	21.0
TOTAL	$6,313	$3,903	$10,216	$6,363	$5,320	$11,683	10.1	140.1	108.9

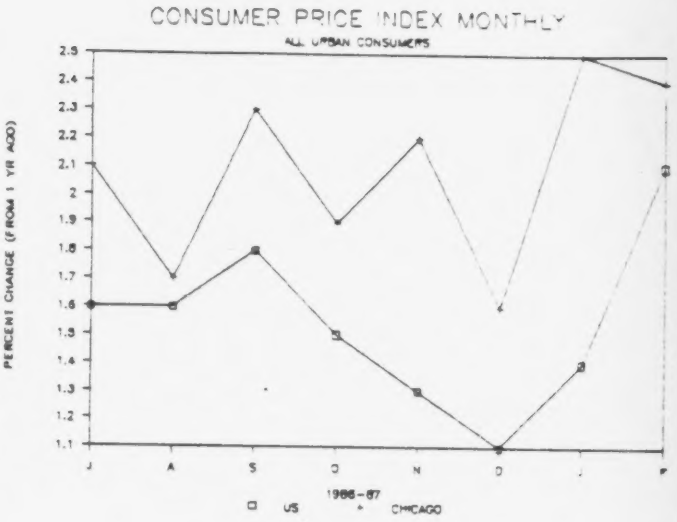
TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Agriculture	$2,752	$2,812	$2,923	$3,645	$3,614	$3,313	$2,950	$2,930	$2,339
Manufacturing	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511	11,683	12,541*	11,837*
Direct)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(6,362)	NA	NA
Indirect	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(5,320)	NA	NA
Gross Total	12,788	13,323	16,618	20,090	20,653	19,824	14,633	15,471	14,176
Less Duplication**	-1029	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	1,109	-1,160*	-1,063*
Net Total	$11,759	$12,261	$15,221	$18,294	$19,119	$18,386	$13,524	14,311	13,113
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(5)		

*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs
**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.
NOTE: Totals from figures in parentheses may not add due to rounding.

U.S. AND CHICAGO/NORTHWESTERN INDIANA
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS

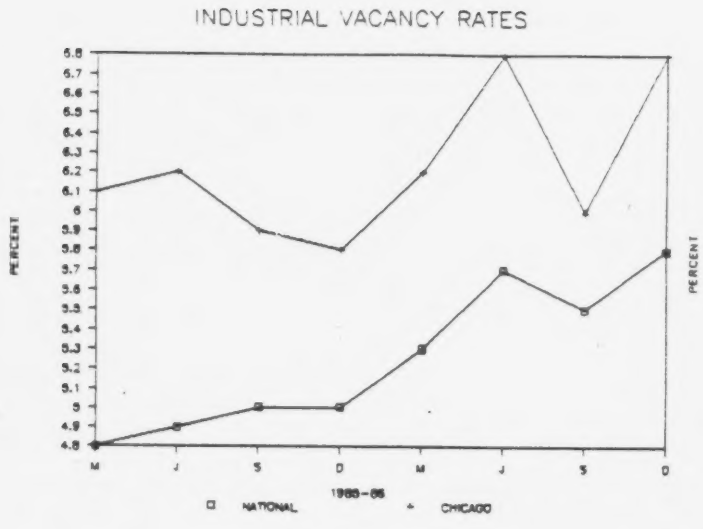


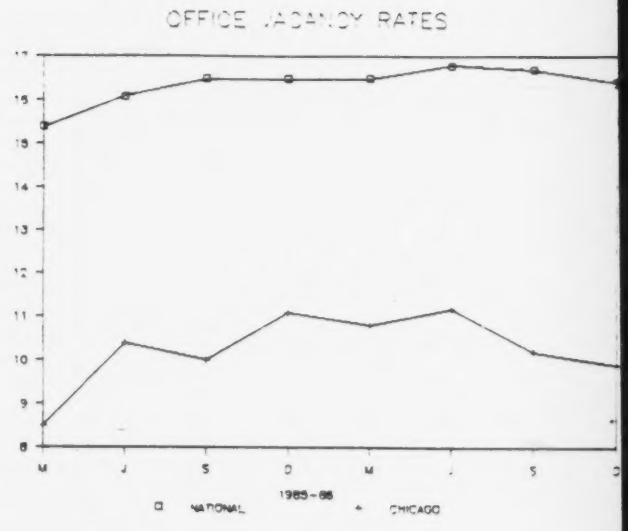


Year	ALL URBAN ANNUAL (1967=100) U.S.	CHICAGO	% Change from Preceeding Period* U.S.	CHICAGO	Mo.	1986 & 1987 MONTH (1967=100) ALL URBAN U.S. INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	ALL URBAN CHICAGO INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	URBAN WAGE EARNERS U.S. INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago	URBAN WAGE EARNERS CHICAGO INDEX	% Chge from 1 yr. ago
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3	Jan	328.4	3.9	326.3	3.6	324.3	3.7	312.9	3.4
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8	Feb	327.5	3.2	324.4	3.1	323.2	3.0	312.8	2.9
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4	Mar	326.0	2.3	323.9	2.0	312.4	1.9	309.7	1.6
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	8.6	Apr	325.3	1.6	323.7	1.4	320.4	1.2	309.1	0.9
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	12.5	May	326.3	1.6	324.2	1.4	321.4	1.1	309.6	0.9
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.4	June	327.9	1.7	330.4	1.9	323.0	1.3	315.6	1.5
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	9.6	July	328.0	1.6	331.1	2.1	322.9	1.2	316.0	1.6
1982	289.1	287.4	6.2	6.8	Aug	328.6	1.6	331.4	1.7	323.4	1.2	316.2	1.3
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	4.0	Sept	330.2	1.8	333.9	2.3	324.9	1.4	318.3	2.0
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.8	Oct	330.5	1.5	328.7	1.9	325.0	1.2	313.4	1.5
1985	322.2	321.8	3.5	3.8	Nov	330.8	1.3	331.3	2.2	325.4	0.9	316.1	1.7
1986	328.4	328.5	1.1	2.1	Dec	331.1	1.1	331.0	1.6	325.7	0.7	315.8	1.0
1987**			3.4, 3.6		Jan	333.1	1.4	334.3	2.5	327.7	1.0	319.1	2.0
1988**			4.2, 4.5		Feb	334.4	2.1	334.2	2.4	329.0	1.8	319.0	2.0

*Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).
**Chase Econometric Forecast (MARCH), Data Resources Forecast (APRIL), Average annual changes.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES





INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES*

	1984				1985				1986				1987			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.7	5.5	5.8				
Chicago	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.8	6.2	6.8	6.0	6.8				
Southern California	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5	5.4	5.9	5.6	6.3				
Philadelphia	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.5	3.8	3.3	3.3	2.9				
Houston	5.4	4.8	6.0	7.7	13.5	14.8	15.0	14.1	14.2	13.2	15.3	14.9				
St. Louis	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	6.3	6.7	6.6	6.7				

*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in selected metro areas.

DOWNTOWN OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1984				1985				1986				1987			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5	16.5	16.5	16.8	16.7	16.4				
New York	4.5	6.5	6.6	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0	11.1	10.8	11.2	10.2	9.9				
Chicago	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4	10.6	11.0	11.3	11.3	11.6				
Suburban	13.8	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9	21.7	20.9	21.4	22.5	26.1				
Los Angeles	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5	18.2	18.5	15.9	17.5	15.0				
Phil'phia	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8	10.2	9.2	10.8	11.1	9.3				
Houston	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3	20.2	19.1	18.8	18.4	20.0				
St. Louis	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4	10.8	11.0	16.5	20.2	20.1				

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in selected downtown areas. r: revised
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

ILLINOIS SALES OF ALL RETAIL STORES

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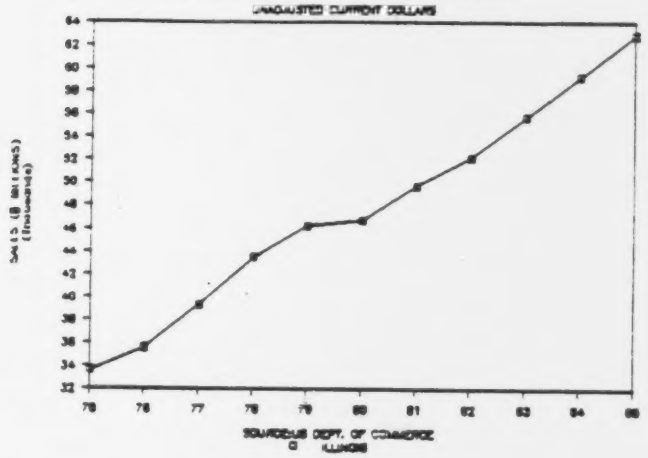

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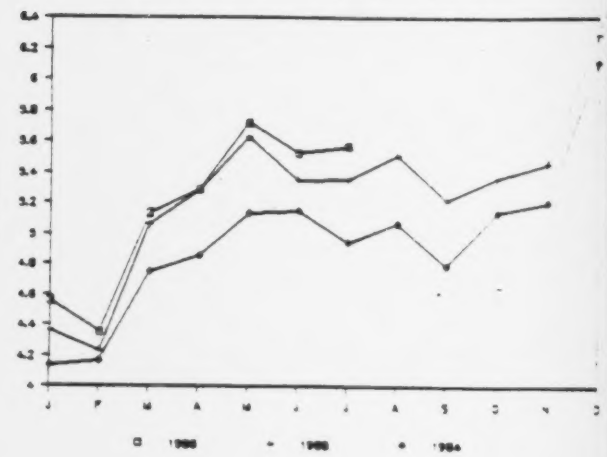


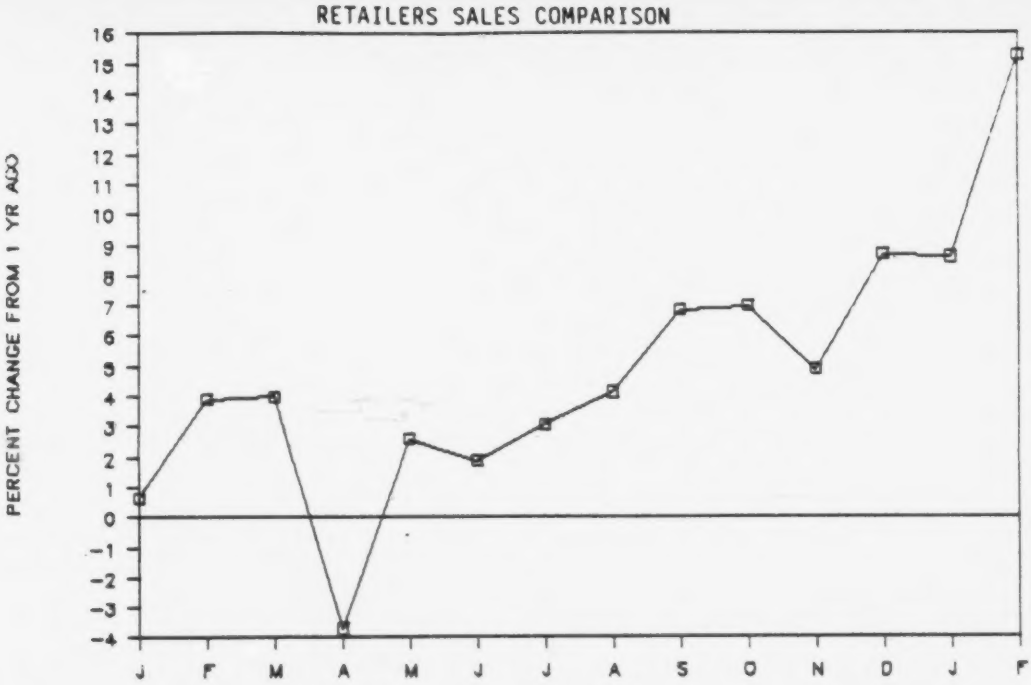
ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Ill. AMOUNT	Chicago SMSA° AMOUNT	Chicago City AMOUNT	Ill. % CHANGE	Chicago SMSA° % CHANGE	Chicago City % CHANGE	U.S. % CHANGE
1978	$43,463	$28,721	$ 10,676	10.5	10.4	13.1	11.2
1979	46,216	30,992	10,880	6.3	7.9	1.9	11.4
1980	46,742	31,365	10,606	1.1	1.2	-2.5	6.7
1981	49,715	32,325	10,821	6.4	3.1	2.0	8.5
1982	52,195	34,538	10,850	5.0	6.8	0.3	3.0
1983	55,696	36,799	11,033	6.7	6.6	1.7	9.5
1984	59,263	39,604	12,341	6.4	7.6	11.9	10.1
1985	62,896	41,731	12,452	6.1	5.4	0.9	6.2
1986							5.2

MONTH*
(millions)
1986

Mo.	Ill. AMOUNT	Chicago SMSA° AMOUNT	Chicago City AMOUNT	Ill. Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	Chicago SMSA° Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	Chicago City Percent Change from 1 Year Ago	U.S. Percent Change from 1 Year Ago
Jan	$4,561	$3,123	$ 919	4.5	8.6	5.3	6.9
Feb	4,355	3,052	906	2.9	7.8	6.7	4.3
Mar	5,132	3,500	1,030	1.4	6.1	6.4	3.7
Apr	5,288	3,557	1,043	0.1	4.4	3.4	2.3
May	5,720	3,830	1,118	1.7	5.3	6.2	4.2
Jun	5,524	3,669	1,038	3.3	7.8	1.8	4.7
Jul	5,566	3,757	1,093	4.0	6.0	-1.4	4.3
Aug							
Sep							
Oct							
Nov							
Dec							

°SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/MSA/CSA configurations until 1987.
p=preliminary r=revised
*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.
SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

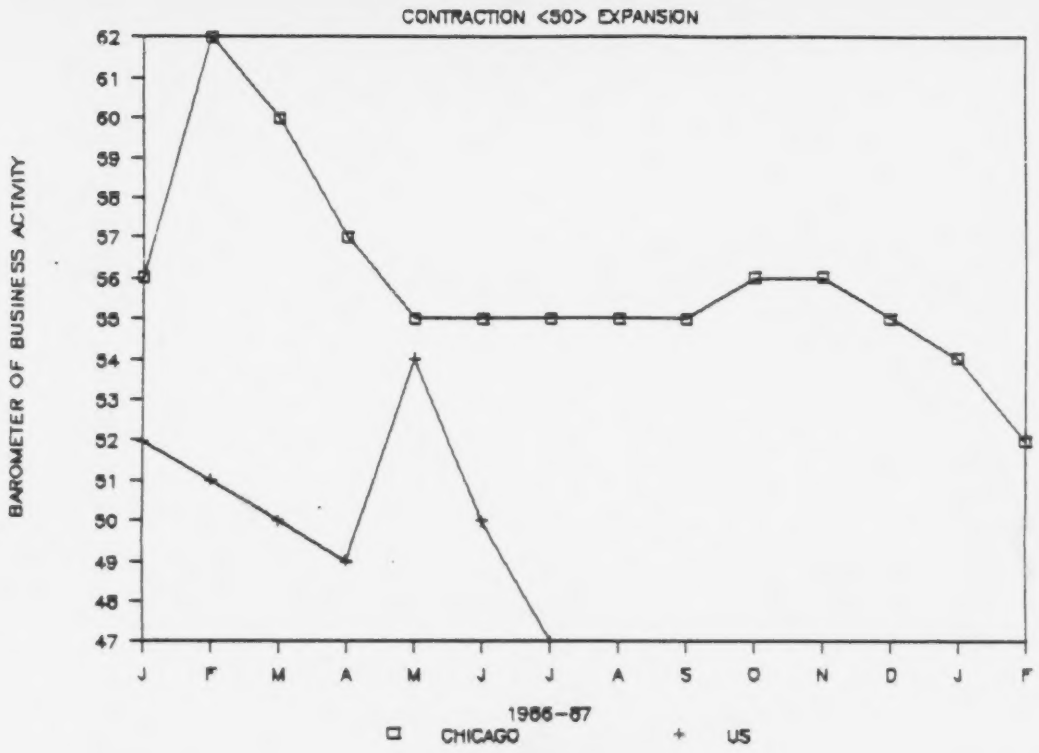


MONTH		GROSS SALES RECEIPTS AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	TOTAL REGIONAL* AVERAGE CHANGE IN SALES BY TYPE DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
	1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
	1985	4.93	5.94	2.05	2.91	5.12	4.92	1.92
	1986	5.61	6.56	4.38	0.65	6.06	1.70	0.63
1986								
JAN		0.64	0.23	0.13	6.48	1.33	-11.26	4.96
FEB		3.90	3.24	6.12	2.85	4.33	5.62	4.27
MAR		3.99	3.56	5.10	7.50	4.56	1.99	-9.33
APR		-3.71	-4.85	1.33	-1.00	-4.46	-2.21	7.04
MAY		2.57	2.22	3.67	4.15	2.32	0.99	7.81
JUNE		1.87	1.18	4.90	3.55	1.58	6.27	0.98
JULY		3.06	3.52	3.86	-2.11	3.66	-2.40	-1.81
AUG		4.13	4.92	3.37	2.23	4.47	3.38	-3.00
SEPT		6.82	8.50	1.78	2.89	7.81	-1.44	NA
OCT		6.97	7.06	9.02	2.51	7.19	7.33	0.87
NOV		4.88	6.04	3.22	-1.14	5.08	1.70	4.39
DEC		8.66	11.18	3.84	-4.22	8.95	3.06	9.46
1987								
JAN		8.58	7.81	13.99	4.08	8.63	7.14	9.77
FEB		15.30	18.47	9.94	-2.85	16.24	9.22	0.72

Year to Date

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern Illinois, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.
SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.

PURCHASING MANAGERS SURVEY



1985-1987**

		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity)													
CHICAGO	1985	51	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50	47	54	55
	1986	56	62	60	57	55	55	56	57	55	56	56	55
	1987	54	52										
U.S.	1985	53	50	48	47	47	47	47	47	51	52	53	51
	1986	52	51	50	49	54	50	47	--	--	--	51	52
	1987	--	52	54									

1986-1987
CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

	1986						1987	
	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F
PRODUCTION	50	57	55	58	56	60	54	60
NEW ORDERS	51	57	54	57	58	53	56	60
ORDER BACKLOG	47	51	50	50	53	48	49	52
INVENTORIES	50	50	47	45	50	52	49	54
EMPLOYMENT	46	47	49	48	45	46	44	54
VENDOR DEL.	47	49	49	46	44	44	45	48
PRICES PAID	57	58	56	62	56	58	70	68

*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction
**Barometer data are seasonally adjusted; all other data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1986
(millions)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$308	$249	$112	$265	$245	$283	$288	$336	$ 99	$194	$ 78	$ 80	$ 99	$145	$ 74
Revenues:															
Income Tax	307	245	340	384	345	350	243	236	340	256	211	330	422	253	381
Sales Tax	249	232	333	237	237	310	269	257	281	329	228	330	263	242	252
Other	134	104	168	152	116	125	106	106	112	146	78	126	128	66	131
Transfers In	61	65	83	56	67	68	40	54	63	58	52	68	51	208	73
Federal	141	112	148	137	134	132	130	137	141	135	150	128	115	149	129
TOTAL REVENUES	892	758	1072	966	899	985	788	790	937	924	719	982	979	918	966
Expenditures:															
Public Aid	265	231	265	255	254	217	285	242	264	242	198	234	276	244	250
Common School Fund	163	163	163	163	163	326	—	265	89	177	177	202	178	177	177
Operations	271	237	247	236	209	183	233	266	275	272	200	252	253	262	250
Other	191	180	181	268	183	202	141	188	151	266	90	211	157	209	118
Transfers Out	61	84	63	64	52	52	81	66	63	83	52	64	69	97	59
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	951	895	919	986	861	980	740	1027	842	1040	717	963	933	989	854
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$249	$112	$265	$245	$283	$288	$336	$ 99	$194	$ 78	$ 80	$ 99	$145	$ 74	$186

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL

	TOTAL		ALL AGENCIES EXCEPT EDUCATION		EDUCATION	
1986	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)
January	116,300	$212,799	78,417	$152,558	37,963	$60,241
February	118,828	213,127	78,514	151,980	40,314	61,147
March	118,977	214,408	78,626	152,599	40,351	61,809
April	119,086	213,567	78,643	152,107	40,443	61,460
May	118,170	214,488	79,113	153,307	39,057	61,181
June	112,134	216,260	80,574	158,350	31,560	57,910
July	111,349	212,380	80,472	156,138	30,877	56,242
August	115,427	219,134	80,686	157,380	34,741	61,754
September	119,339	224,265	78,868	157,778	40,471	66,487
October	120,414	226,730	78,534	159,470	41,716	67,261
November	118,737	229,013	78,758	162,169	39,979	66,844
December	120,048	230,735	78,921	163,205	41,127	67,530
1987						
January	116,874	$226,444	78,852	$163,007	38,022	$63,437

SOURCE: Office of the Comptroller

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ILLINOIS BI-MONTHLY ECONOMIC DATA SUMMARY
MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS
June/July, 1987

STATE

Total Personal Income for the state during 1986 was $178,136 million, up by 4.8 percent from a year ago, seasonally adjusted at an annual rate. In constant 1982 dollars, the increase was 2.7 percent.

Monthly cash receipts from farm marketing, for 1986 were up 16.7 percent to $6,642 million. This compares to a decline of over 8 percent for the U.S. as a whole.

Total bituminous coal production for April of 1987 was 5.4 percent lower than a year ago, with underground mined coal representing 64.4 percent of the monthly output of 5,019 thousands of tons.

Total contracts for future construction in the first five months of 1987 were valued at $3.91 billion, an 8 percent increase from the previous year. Non-building construction led the increase with 23 percent followed by residential at 13 percent and non-residential at 9 percent for the year.

The state labor force total for June of 1987 was listed as 5,727,000 persons. Of these, 5,297,000 were employed and 430,000 (or 7.5% seasonally adjusted) are shown as unemployed. The unemployment count has dropped 0.5 percent from the same month of last year.

Average hourly wages for production workers in May was $10.87. This represents a slight increase over the $10.68 figure for May, 1986. Additionally, average weekly hours worked have increased during the past five months, with May registering 41.3 hours.

New business incorporations continued to increase after a 3.8 percent decline in January. February posted a 13 percent gain, with March rising 11.1 percent from the same month a year ago.

The all-urban consumer price index (CPI-U) for Chicago increased 2.1 percent in 1986. This compares to a 1.1 percent rise nationally. During the fourth and fifth months of 1987, the Chicago index increased 4.1 percent in April and 4.4 percent in May.

Retailers sales continued to increase within the state, with Central/Southern Illinois reversing a negative February and March. The region as a whole (Illinois and Northern Indiana) for May registered a 13.47 percent increase from a year ago.

A monthly barometer of business activity, the Purchasing Manager's Survey for Chicago remained positive in the first four months of 1987. In April, 56 out of 100 managers indicated business activity was expanding.

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NATIONAL

Real GNP rose at an annual rate of 4.8 percent in the first quarter, an upward revision from the 4.4-percent rate estimated in May. The fixed-weighted GNP price index rose at a 3.9-percent rate.

Before-tax corporate profits from current production increased 7.8 percent in the first quarter and stood 13.2 percent above the year-ago level. The initial estimate of first quarter's profits, released in May, showed a gain of 7.2 percent.

Manufacturing and trade sales fell 0.3 percent in April, as a cutback in manufacturers' shipments more than offset small gains in wholesale and retail sales. The current-dollar value of business inventories edged up 0.2 percent, or $1.2 billion, following average monthly increases of $3.4 billion during the first quarter. The stock-sales ratio was 1.50, down from the year-ago ratio of 1.55.

The merchandise trade deficit narrowed to $13.3 billion in April from $13.6 billion in March and a monthly average of $13.7 billion during the first quarter. Exports slipped 4.4 percent in April, but stood 7.6 percent abvove their first quarter average. Imports fell 3.6 percent in April to a level 3.4 percent above their first quarter average.

The Producer Price Index for finished goods rose 0.3 percent in May, following gains of 0.7 percent in April and 0.4 percent in March. Prices of finished energy goods were unchanged, while consumer food prices jumped 1.4 percent after a similar increase in April. Higher foodstuff prices contributed to a 0.5-percent advance in prices of intermediate goods and a 3.1-percent surge in crude material prices.

Housing starts fell 2.7 percent in May, the third monthly setback, to an annual rate of 1.62 million units--the lowest level since December 1984. Single-family starts declined 7.6 percent to their lowest level in six months. Multi-family starts rebounded following a 21-percent plunge from January to April.

Industrial production rose 0.5 percent in May, after little change in March and April. The level of output in each of the three months ending in April was revised upward. In May, gains in output were widespread among products and materials.

The industrial operating rate increased 0.2 percentage point in May to 79.6 percent, 1.9 points below the average for 1967-86.

Personal income rose a modest 0.2 percent in May as a sharp decline in farm subsidy payments held down the overall gain. Disposable personal income rebounded 3.4 percent, following a 2.7-percent decline in April caused by a jump in tax payments.

Personal consumption expenditures edged up 0.1 percent in May after a gain of 0.6 percent in April and no change in March.

Domestic new car sales were at an annual rate of 6.8 million units during the first ten days of June, matching the sales pace in May.

JUNE-JULY, 1987

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ILLINOIS GROSS STATE PRODUCT

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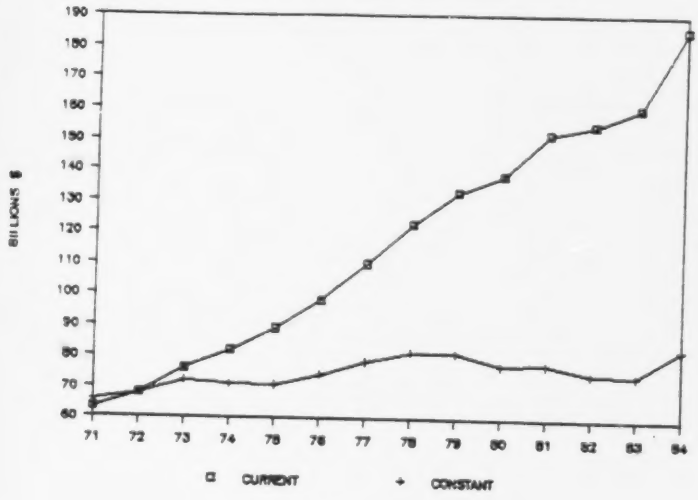

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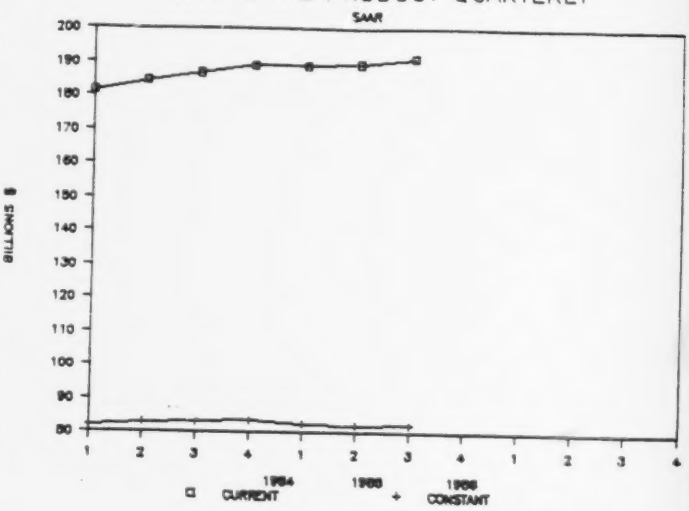

ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	U.S.
1971	$ 63,278	$ 65,901	0.4	3.4
1972	67,983	67,983	3.2	5.7
1973	76,294	72,111	6.1	5.8
1974	81,929	71,193	-1.3	-0.6
1975	89,039	70,784	-0.6	-1.2
1976	98,244	74,236	4.9	5.4
1977	109,876	78,455	5.7	5.5
1978	122,730	81,591	4.0	5.0
1979	132,893	81,319	-0.3	2.8
1980	138,463	77,510	-4.7	-0.3
1981	152,141	77,963	0.6	2.5
1982	155,007	74,926	-3.9	-2.1
1983	160,567	74,564	-0.5	3.6
1984	185,660	83,106	9.5	6.5
1985				2.7
1986				2.5
1987				2.3, 2.7**
1988				2.9, 2.5**
1989				2.0, 2.2**

QUARTER*
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1972=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate Ill.	U.S.
1984				
I	$181,438	$82,255	--	9.8
II	184,617	83,011	3.7	5.0
III	186,883	83,218	1.0	2.3
IV	189,131	83,649	2.1	1.5
1985				
I	189,059	82,533	-5.2	3.7
II	189,620	82,238	-1.4	1.1
III	191,322	82,441	1.0	3.0
IV				2.1
1986				
I				3.8
II				0.6
III				2.8
IV				1.1
1987				
I				4.4

p - preliminary r - revised (Data are non-comparable due to a methodology change.)
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
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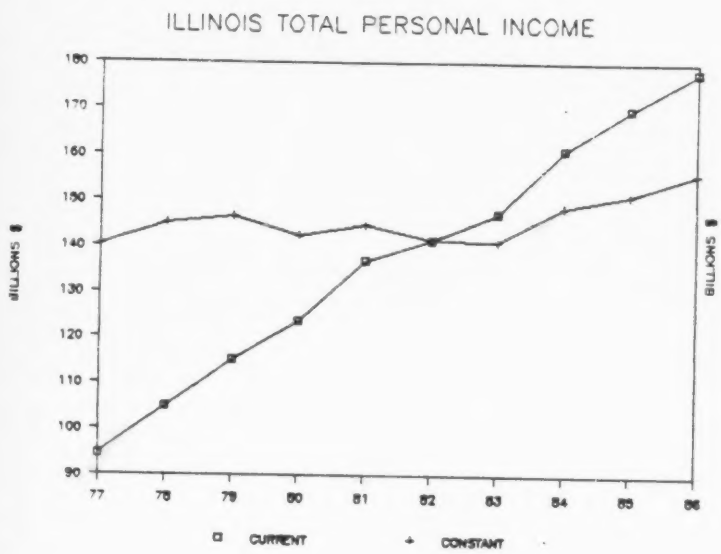
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.

ILLINOIS TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME



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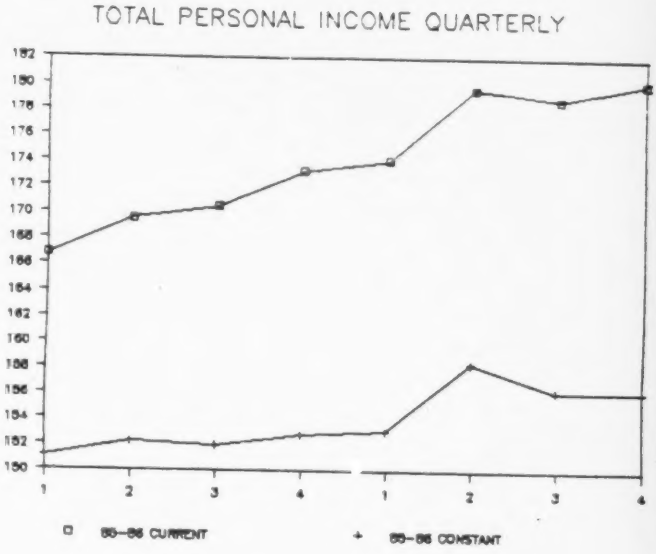


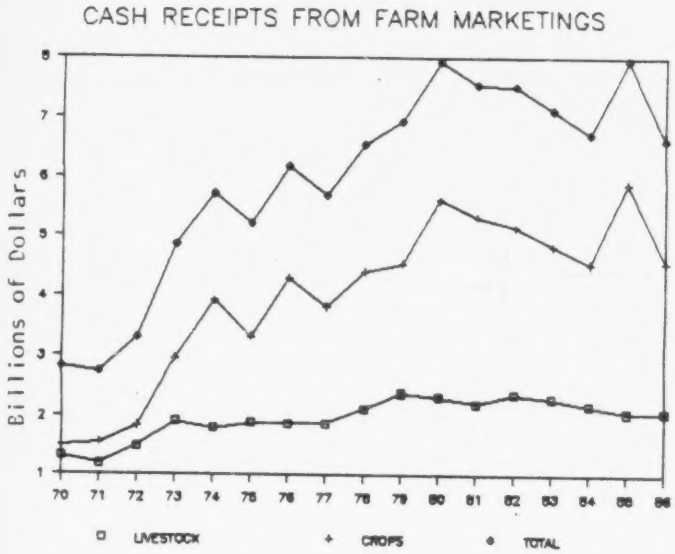
QUARTER

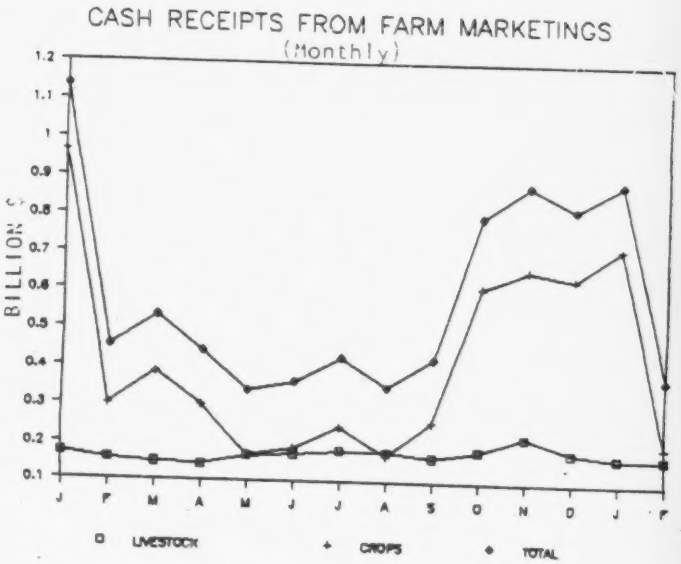
Year	Amount (millions) Current	Amount (millions) Constant**	Percentage Change Current ILL.	Percentage Change Current U.S.	Percentage Change Constant ILL.	Percentage Change Constant U.S.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income ILL.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income U.S.
1977	$ 94,740	$140,356	NA	10.8	NA	4.2	$ 8,306	$ 7,789
1978	104,850	145,222	10.7	12.8	3.5	5.4	9,170	8,133
1979	115,247	146,625	9.9	12.2	1.0	3.1	10,089	9,025
1980	123,774	142,597	7.4	11.0	-2.7	0.6	10,819	9,910
1981	136,995	144,815	10.7	12.2	1.6	2.4	11,940	10,940
1982	141,483	141,483	3.3	6.4	-2.3	0.2	12,325	11,470
1983	147,215	141,417	4.1	6.3	-0.1	2.0	12,810	12,093
1984	161,118	149,045	9.4	9.6	5.4	5.5	13,981	13,115
1985	169,999	151,920	5.5	6.6	1.9	3.0	14,736	13,867
1986	178,136	155,986	4.8	5.2	2.7	3.0	15,420	14,461
1987				5.4, 5.1***				
1988				6.7, 6.8***				
1989				7.5, 6.0***				

	Amount* (millions)	% Change at Annual Rates ILL.	% Change at Annual Rates U.S.
1985 CURRENT			
I	$166,799	5.2	8.4
II	169,561	6.8	5.9
III	170,458	2.1	3.1
IV	173,178	6.5	7.4
1985 CONSTANT			
I	$151,086	1.8	4.9
II	152,209	3.0	2.2
III	151,923	-0.8	0.2
IV	152,714	2.1	2.9
1986 CURRENT			
I	$174,013	1.9	6.2
II	179,622	13.5	6.6
III	178,757	-1.9	1.5
IV	180,153	3.2	3.6
1986 CONSTANT			
I	$153,046	-0.9	4.9
II	158,397	14.7	7.2
III	156,256	-5.5	-1.7
IV	156,247	0.0	-0.5

r - revised
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1982=100).
***Wharton (Chase) Econometric Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JULY).
SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ILLINOIS
CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS





Year	ANNUAL (millions) Livestock	Crops	Total	Total Percent Change ILL.	U.S.
1970	$1,310	$1,496	$2,806	1.2	4.9
1971	1,186	1,548	2,734	-2.7	4.8
1972	1,483	1,832	3,315	21.3	15.7
1973	1,912	2,959	4,871	46.9	42.3
1974	1,797	3,928	5,725	17.5	6.1
1975	1,889	3,324	5,213	-8.9	-4.6
1976	1,872	4,311	6,183	18.6	7.4
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.9	0.8
1978	2,127	4,425	6,552	15.0	16.9
1979	2,384	4,565	6,949	6.1	17.1
1980	2,324	5,626	7,950	14.4	5.9
1981	2,220	5,342	7,562	-4.9	2.6
1982	2,369	5,169	7,538	-0.3	-0.1
1983	2,295	4,847	7,142	-5.2	-3.2
1984	2,182	4,556	6,738	-5.7	7.2
1985	2,063	5,914	7,977	18.4	1.2
1986	2,065	4,577	6,642	16.7	-8.3

1986 Month	MONTH (millions) Live-stock	Crops	Total	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	U.S.
Jan	$172	$965	$1137	+14.3	6.3
Feb	156	298	454	-3.6	-0.1
Mar	148	385	533	-16.5	--
Apr	143	298	441	-10.5	-0.1
May	167	171	338	-17.9	0.2
June	173	188	361	-25.6	-0.2
July	182	244	426	-28.8	-0.1
Aug	180	169	349	-13.6	-5.6
Sept	166	258	424	-16.2	-8.3
Oct	186	613	799	-26.6	-10.7
Nov	223	659	882	-22.0	-8.9
Dec	183	638	822	+49.0	-18.3
1987					
Jan	$171	$719	$890	-21.7	-11.4
Feb	171	204	376	-17.2	

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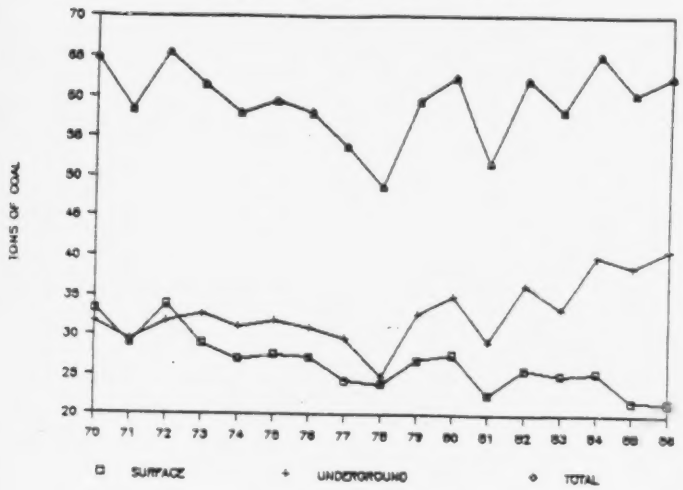
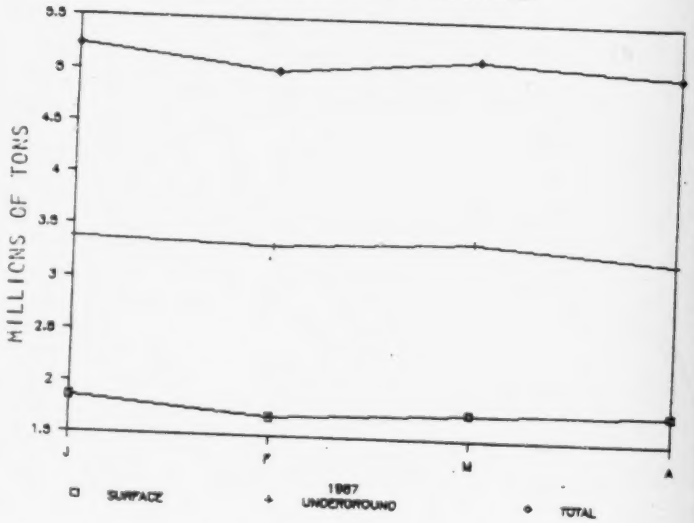
SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ILLINOIS BITUMINOUS COAL PRODUCTION

COAL PRODUCTION ANNUALLY



COAL PRODUCTION MONTHLY



ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415s	10.6
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744s	7.3
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6
1980	27,574	34,968	62,542	7.5
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799s	6.3
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4
1983	25,003	33,370	58,373	7.5
1984	25,344	39,945	65,289	7.5
1985	21,829	38,648	60,477	7.1
1986p	21,721	40,888	62,609	-

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

Month	TOTAL 1985	1986 SURFACE	1986 UNDERGROUND	1986 TOTAL
Jan	5,620	2,079	3,734	5,813
Feb	5,098	1,905	3,403	5,308
March	5,258	1,825	3,660	5,485
April	5,196	1,990	3,876	5,866
May	5,266	1,845	3,611	5,456
June	4,750	1,883	3,442	5,325
July	4,269	1,794	2,560	4,354
Aug	5,384	1,876	3,349	5,225
Sept	5,193	1,730	3,524	5,254
Oct	5,714	1,734	3,706	5,440
Nov	4,389	1,307	2,894	4,201
Dec	4,633	1,753	3,129	4,882
Month	**1986**	**1987**		
Jan	5,813	1,859	3,370	5,229
Feb	5,308	1,688	3,321	5,010
March	5,485	1,756	3,390	5,145
April	5,866	1,783	3,236	5,019
May	5,456	1,608	3,056	4,664

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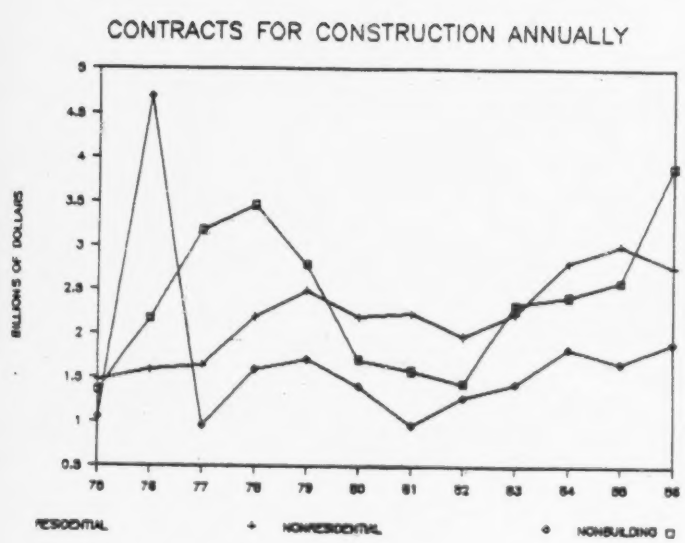
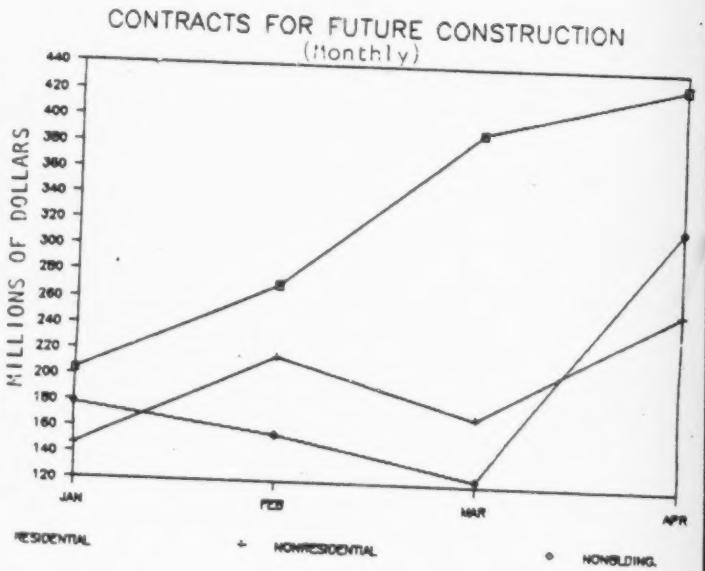
s - Affected by major strike activity.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION





Year	ANNUAL (millions) Residential	Non-Res.	TOTAL Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Current Amount	TOTAL Constant Amount**	Current Percent Change Ill.	Current Percent Change U.S.
1975	$1,363	$1,482	$1,062	$3,907	$1,988	-10.7	-1.1
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4
1985	2,607	3,027	1,667	7,301	1,998	5.6	5.8
1986	3,901	2,767	1,900	8,568	2,292	17.4	5.0
1987						2.0	2.0

1987 Month	MONTH (millions) Residential	Non-Res.	TOTAL Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Amt.	TOTAL Cumulative Year-to-Date Ill.	TOTAL Cumulative Year-to-Date U.S.
Jan	$204	$147	$178	$528	+30	+2
Feb	271	216	156	643	+31	+2
Mar	391	172	125	688	+21	+2
Apr	429	255	320	1,004	+18	0
May	390	243	259	892	+8	-1
June						
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Nov						
Dec						
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*Construction generally begins about 6 months later. r - revised
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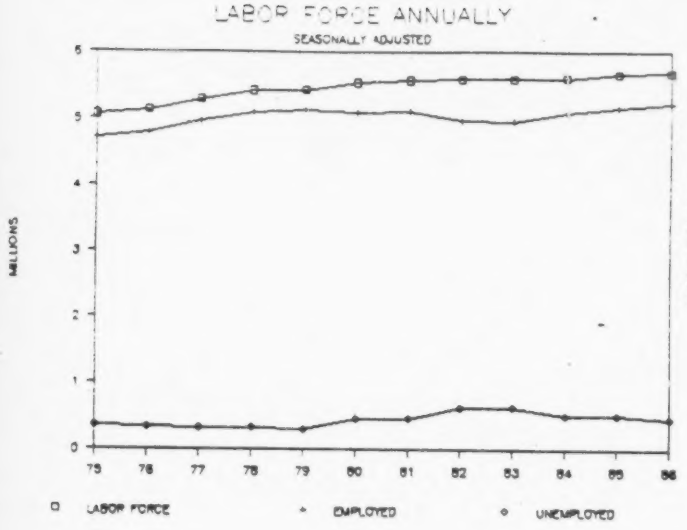
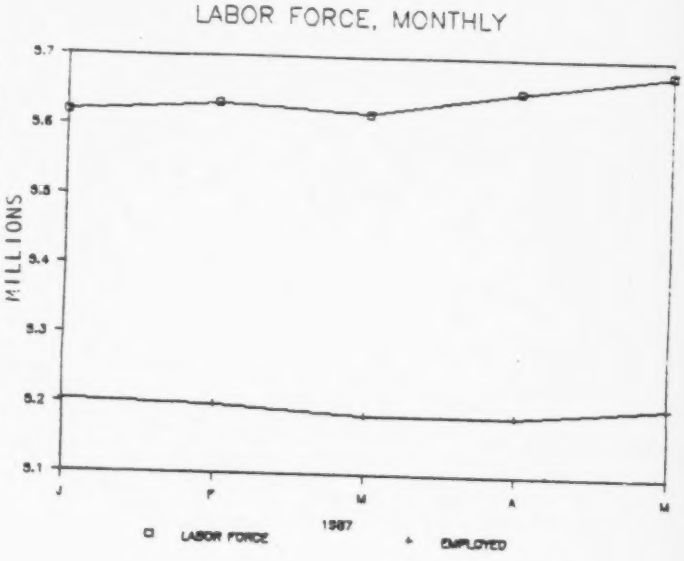
LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED





ANNUAL (thousands)

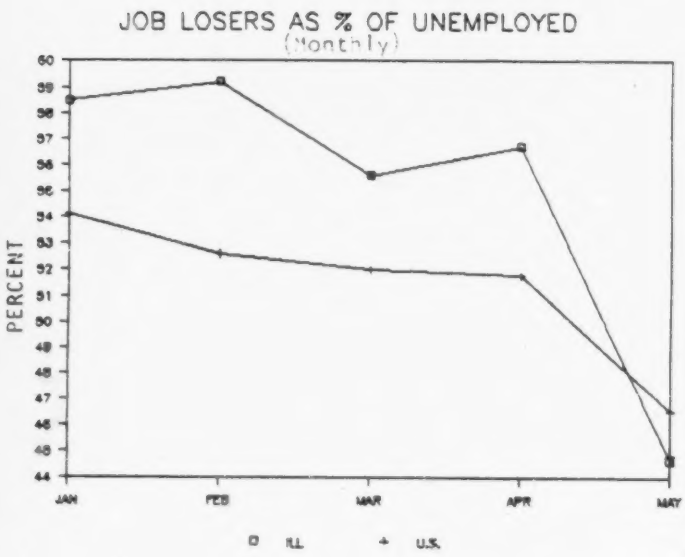
Year	ILLINOIS Labor Force	ILLINOIS Employed	ILLINOIS Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Insured Unemployed Percent**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2
1985	5,673	5,160	513	146.1	3.3
1986	5,694	5,232	462	138.9	3.1

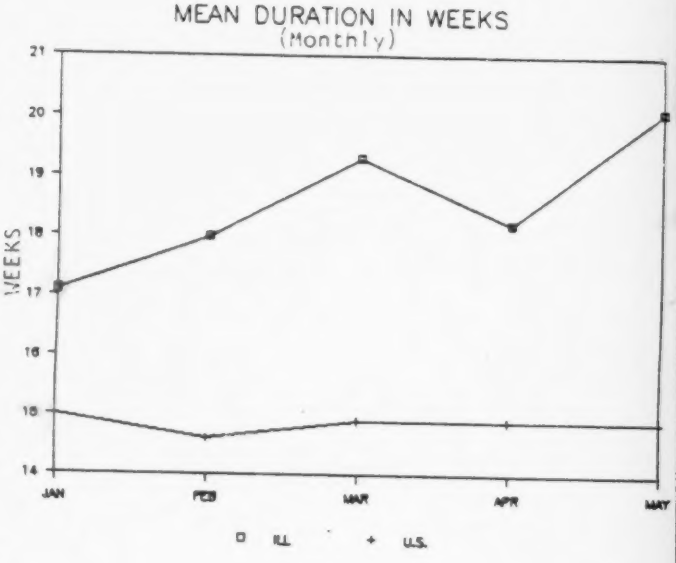
MONTH* (thousands) 1986

Month	ILLINOIS Labor Force	ILLINOIS Employed	ILLINOIS Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Insured Unemployed Per*
Jan	5666	5228	438	170.9	3.8
Feb	5694	5151	543	179.3	4.0
Mar	5667	5165	502	171.5	3.8
Apr	5683	5217	466	152.9	3.4
May	5685	5201	484	134.0	3.0
June	5733	5273	460	131.6	2.9
July	5722	5273	449	133.5	2.9
Aug	5732	5266	466	119.3	2.5
Sep	5760	5283	477	112.6	2.3
Oct	5695	5270	425	112.9	2.5
Nov	5639	5222	417	120.8	2.7
Dec	5646	5231	415	138.4	3.1
1987					
Jan	5620	5205	415	153.2	3.4
Feb	5633	5199	434	163.5	3.6
Mar	5620	5186	434	154.4	3.4
Apr	5652	5186	466	135.2	2.9
May	5680	5201	479	121.0	2.6
June	5727	5297	430		

*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.
**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY REASON AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT





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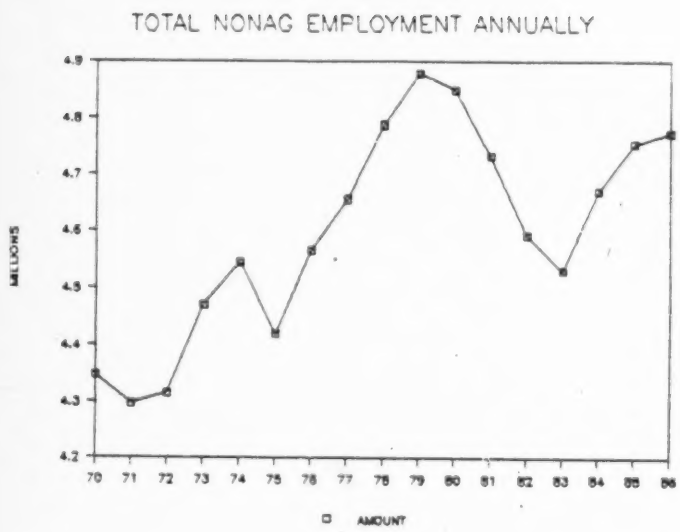
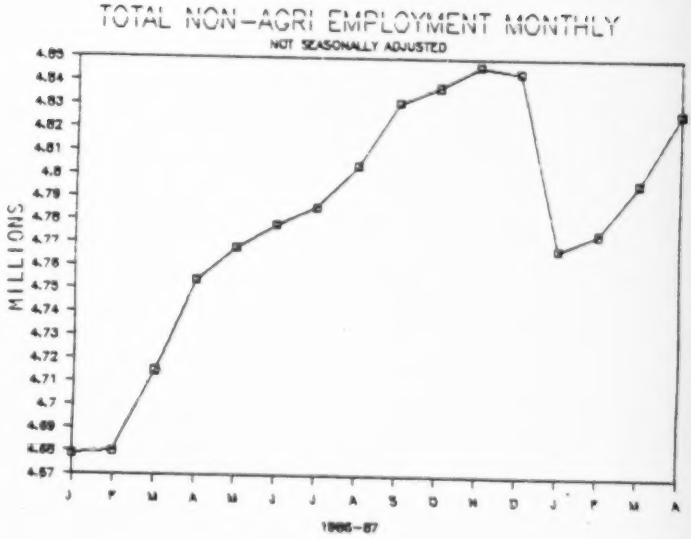
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Job Losers as Percentage of Unemployed												
ILL	58.5	59.2	55.6	56.7	44.7							
U.S.	54.1	52.6	52.0	51.8	46.6							
Mean Duration (in weeks)												
ILL	17.1	18.0	19.3	18.2	20.1							
U.S.	15.0	14.6	14.9	14.9	14.9							
ILLINOIS												
Number of Unemployed (000's)												
Job Losers	268.4	274.8	250.9	262.0	208.2							
Job Leavers	40.4	51.5	53.7	45.4	45.3							
Reentrants	98.3	78.6	98.6	122.8	129.7							
New Entrants	52.3	59.1	48.1	31.9	82.9							
TOTAL	459.0	464.0	451.3	462.1	466.1							
Duration (000's)												
Less than 15 Weeks	315.0	309.4	283.1	250.7	303.3							
15 Weeks and Over	144.0	154.6	168.2	128.0	162.7							

r - revised *Not seasonally adjusted
SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT





ANNUAL (thousands)

Year	Amount	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	4,346	-1.1	0.5
1971	4,296	0.4	3.5
1972	4,315	3.6	4.2
1973	4,470	1.7	1.9
1974	4,546	-2.8	-1.7
1975	4,419	3.3	3.2
1976	4,566	2.0	3.9
1977	4,656	2.9	5.1
1978	4,789	2.0	3.6
1979	4,880	-0.3	0.8
1980	4,850	-2.3	1.8
1981	4,732	-2.9	-1.7
1982	4,593	-1.4	0.6
1983	4,531	3.1	4.7
1984	4,671	3.1	4.8
1985	4,755	2.1	3.3
1986	4,777	0.7	2.6

MONTH* (thousands)

Month	1985	1986	1987	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	4,688	4,679	4,768	1.8	2.3
Feb	4,688	4,680	4,775	1.7	2.4
Mar	4,727	4,715	4,797	1.7	2.5
Apr	4,753	4,754	4,831	1.6	2.5
May	4,768	4,768	4,850	1.7	
June	4,788	4,778			
July	4,764	4,786			
Aug	4,768	4,804			
Sept	4,777	4,831			
Oct	4,782	4,838			
Nov	4,780	4,847			
Dec	4,779	4,844			

r - New March, 1985 benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

	1984	1985	1986	1987* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	27	28	25	24	24	24	24	24							
Construction	155	172	178	160	153	159	167	177							
Manufacturing	997	971	925	922	926	926	927	927							
Transp. & Communication	278	281	278	278	278	279	281	282							
Wholesale & Ret. Trade	1148	1167	1185	1196	1194	1198	1210	1221							
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	322	339	347	347	347	348	350	352							
Services	1058	1101	1126	1123	1128	1133	1141	1143							
Government	688	698	714	717	726	732	733	724							
TOTAL	4672	4755	4777	4768	4775	4799	4830	4850							

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

	1984	1985	1986	1987* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3							
Construction	108	109	112	105	104	107	114	119							
Manufacturing	691	576	549	540	540	539	539	536							
Transp. & Communication	192	185	187	189	189	189	190	192							
Wholesale & Retail Trade	775	725	732	737	729	732	738	744							
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	247	243	251	252	252	252	253	255							
Services	776	742	759	760	762	768	770	773							
Government	398	351	357	359	363	365	364	363							
TOTAL	3189	2933	2948	2945	2942	2955	2970	2985							

*Data are not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan; 1985 Bi-Meds, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora-Elgin and Joliet. March, benchmark date for annual averages and monthly statistics.
p - preliminary, r - revised. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

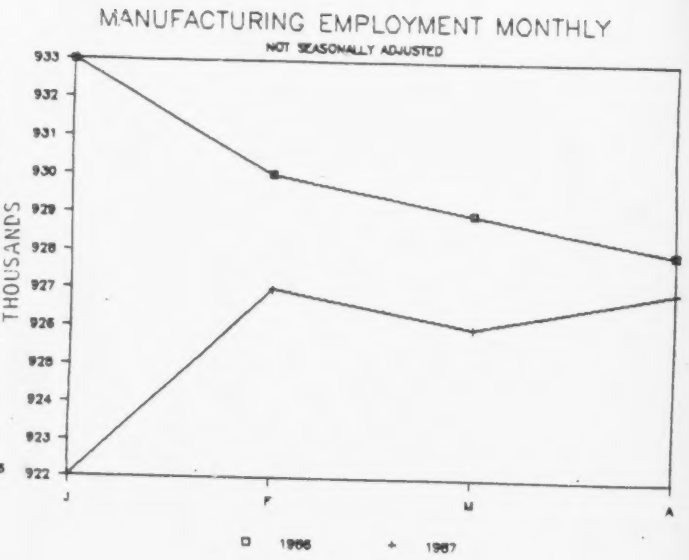
EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S*
APRIL, 1986 AND 1987

(thousands)

Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986
Construction	1.2	1.2	2.0	2.0	4.7	4.5	1.6	1.6	1.2	1.1	5.3	5.1	3.4	3.3	2.0	2.2
Manufacturing	4.9	4.4	7.8	7.7	33.8	33.7	13.6	14.7	5.3	5.2	30.6	31.9	42.9	45.4	3.8	3.9
Durable goods	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.3	25.0	24.8	6.8	7.7	2.0	2.0	24.9	26.0	36.4	39.1	1.6	1.7
Nondurable goods	2.1	1.9	5.3	5.4	8.8	8.9	6.8	7.0	3.3	3.2	5.7	5.9	6.5	6.3	2.2	2.2
Trans & Communication	2.9	3.2	2.1	2.3	8.2	8.3	4.5	4.5	1.4	1.5	6.6	6.6	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.6
Wholesale Trade	2.4	2.4	4.2	4.0	11.1	11.1	1.6	1.6	2.0	2.0	6.9	7.0	6.6	6.5	3.8	3.7
Retail Trade	10.1	10.0	15.1	15.1	31.2	31.1	9.3	9.1	6.0	6.0	26.1	25.6	21.7	21.6	15.5	15.6
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	9.3	9.2	3.3	3.2	8.0	7.8	2.7	2.8	1.6	1.6	7.0	6.9	5.4	5.4	7.9	7.8
Services	11.3	11.0	14.6	14.4	29.7	29.9	10.3	10.1	8.3	8.2	32.2	32.0	24.1	23.7	22.6	22.7
Government	12.3	11.8	34.8	34.1	27.3	27.4	5.6	5.6	6.7	6.4	16.3	16.1	12.4	12.3	31.8	31.6
Total Non-agricultural employment	54.4	53.2	83.9	82.8	154.0	153.8	49.2	50.0	32.5	32.0	131.0	131.2	121.0	122.7	92.2	92.2

Data are not seasonally adjusted.
*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1985 benchmark date.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT



ANNUAL (thousands)

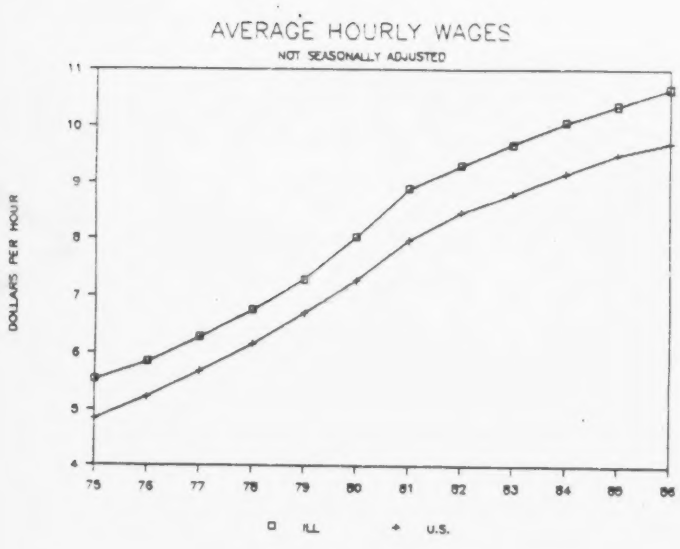
Year	Manufacturing Employment Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.4	-0.6
1982	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6
1983	584	372	956	-5.6	-0.9
1984	623	374	997	4.3	5.3
1985	599	372	971	-2.6	-0.3
1986	565	360	925	-4.7	-0.7p

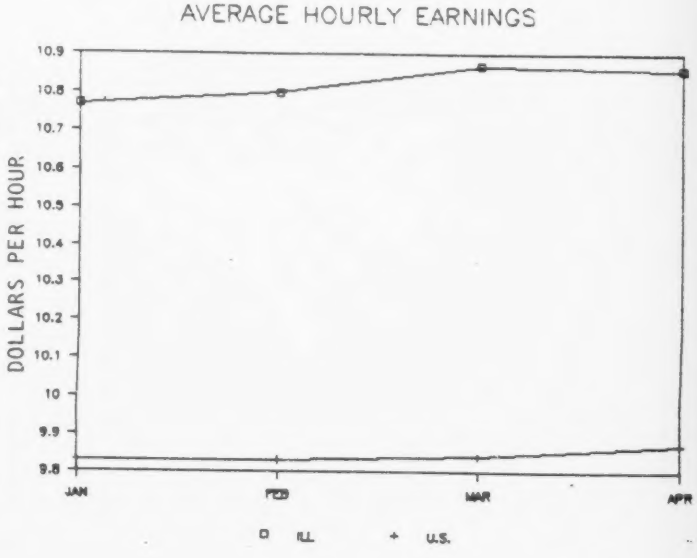
MONTH* (thousands)

Month	1985	1986	1987	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	U.S.
Jan	989	933	922	-1.2	-0.7
Feb	988	930	927	-0.3	-0.4
Mar	987	929	926	-0.3	-0.2
Apr	981	928	927	-0.1	-0.1
May	992	923	927	0.4	
June	977	924			
July	980	922			
Aug	969	923			
Sept	961	925			
Oct	957	921			
Nov	949	923			
Dec	943	922			

p - preliminary r - revised
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING





Year	Average Weekly Hours	ANNUAL Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
1975	39.7	$219.13	$ 5.53	$ 4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.98	10.08	9.18
1985	40.6	421.13	10.37	9.53
1986	40.9	436.75	10.67	9.72
1987				9.98**
1988				10.42**

1986 Month	Average Weekly Hours	MONTH* Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
Jan	40.7	$428.57	$10.53	$9.65
Feb	40.1	423.06	10.55	9.68
Mar	40.9	433.13	10.59	9.70
Apr	40.6	431.58	10.63	9.68
May	40.7	434.68	10.68	9.72
June	40.8	432.07	10.59	9.71
July	40.7	433.05	10.64	9.73
Aug	41.0	436.24	10.64	9.76
Sept	41.2	439.60	10.67	9.74
Oct	41.0	437.88	10.68	9.77
Nov	41.0	438.29	10.69	9.77
Dec	41.3	441.50	10.69	9.78
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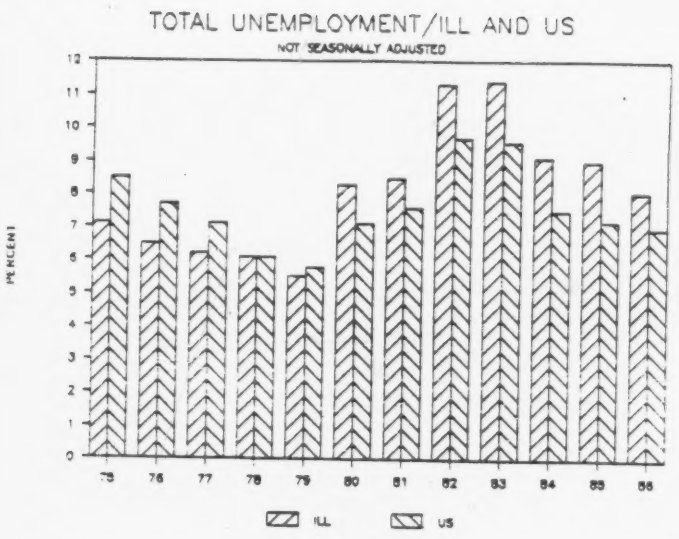
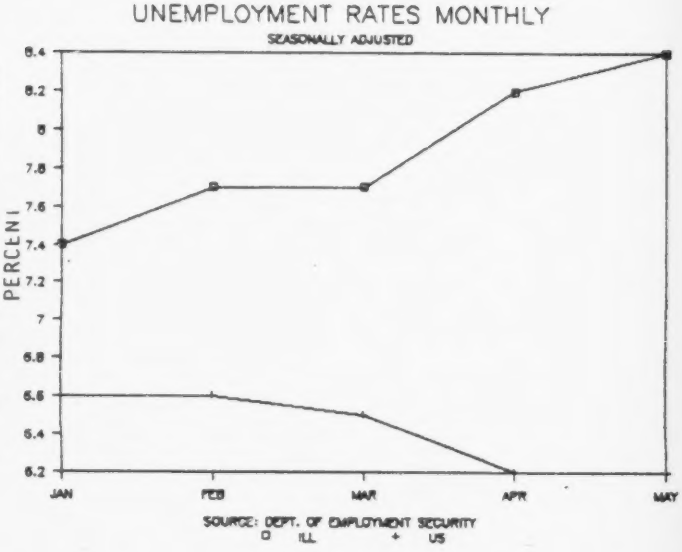
Jan	41.3	$444.80	$10.77	9.83
Feb	41.4	447.12	10.80	9.83
Mar	41.5	451.11	10.87	9.85
Apr	41.2	447.43	10.86	9.87
May	41.3	448.93	10.87	9.86p

*Data are not seasonally adjusted. March, 1985 Benchmark for 1985 annual and 1986 monthly data.
**Wharton (Chase) Econometrics Forecast.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE





YEAR PERCENT

	ILLINOIS			U.S.		
Annual	Total	White	Black	Total	White	Black
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9
1985	9.0	6.9	24.7	7.2	6.2	15.1
1986	8.1			7.0		
1987				6.6, 6.5**		
1988				6.4, 6.4**		
1989				6.7, 6.4**		

MONTH TOTAL

	ILLINOIS		U.S.	
		Seasonally Adjusted		Seasonally Adjusted
Month	1986*	1986	1986*	1986
Jan	8.6	7.7	7.3	7.1
Feb	10.1	9.5	7.8	7.3
Mar	9.1	8.9	7.5	7.2
Apr	8.2	8.2	7.0	7.1
May	8.2	8.5	7.0	7.3
June	8.4	8.0	7.3	7.1
July	7.8	7.8	6.9	6.9
Aug	7.9	8.1	6.6	6.8
Sept	7.8	8.3	6.7	7.0
Oct	7.3	7.5	6.5	6.9
Nov	6.9	7.4	6.5	6.9
Dec	7.0	7.4	6.2	6.7
	1987*	1987	1987*	1987
Jan	8.2	7.4	7.3	6.6
Feb	8.3	7.7	7.2	6.6
Mar	8.1	7.7	6.9	6.5
Apr	8.2	8.2	6.1	6.2
May	8.2	8.4	6.0	6.2
June	7.8	7.5		

*Data not seasonally adjusted.
**Wharton (Chase) Econometrics Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JULY).
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1984	6.6	7.7	7.1	8.0	6.8	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.3	5.6	6.0	6.2	6.3
1985	6.2	7.4	7.1	5.8	6.7	6.5	6.2	5.7	5.7	5.2	5.6	6.6	6.0
1986	5.5	6.2	7.3	6.8	5.7	6.1	5.6	5.0	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.6	4.7
1987		5.7	5.3	4.8	5.1								
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1984	6.1	7.3	6.7	7.2	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.7	5.9	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.5
1985	5.5	6.3	6.0	4.8	5.4	6.0	5.7	5.7	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.7	5.0
1986	4.6	5.2	5.8	5.2	4.7	4.5	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.2	3.8	4.0	4.1
1987		5.3	5.2	5.0	5.0								
CHICAGO AREA:													
1984	8.4	9.6	9.1	9.6	8.7	8.3	8.4	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.4	7.4	7.6
1985	8.2	8.4	8.1	7.0	8.3	8.7	8.7	8.4	8.2	8.5	8.7	8.1	7.5
1986	7.4	7.6	8.7	8.0	7.5	7.6	7.8	7.2	7.3	7.4	6.9	6.4	6.2
1987		7.2	7.3	7.2	7.4								
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1984	14.1	16.6	15.3	15.3	13.8	12.4	12.1	12.1	11.5	13.1	13.7	15.9	17.7
1985	12.9	19.0	14.9	11.6	12.5	12.0	11.8	11.2	13.3	12.0	12.4	12.5	11.4
1986	11.3	13.4	15.3	12.8	11.7	10.4	10.5	10.2	11.6	11.8	9.7	9.2	9.2
1987		10.6	10.5	9.7	9.3								
DECATUR: MSA													
1984	10.4	12.8	12.0	12.6	10.5	9.7	9.4	10.3	9.4	9.7	9.7	9.3	9.3
1985	10.7	10.8	10.7	9.6	11.1	11.0	10.7	10.5	10.7	10.7	11.0	11.1	10.2
1986	10.6	10.6	12.4	11.4	10.8	11.2	10.9	10.3	11.8	11.1	9.7	8.9	8.6
1987		10.6	10.7	10.2	11.5								
PEORIA: MSA													
1984	11.3	14.4	13.2	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.7	10.2	9.7	10.1	9.4	9.9
1985	11.0	12.0	11.7	10.3	11.7	11.5	11.3	11.1	10.6	10.4	10.8	10.6	9.6
1986	9.0	9.9	11.4	10.3	9.0	9.1	9.0	8.4	8.5	9.2	7.6	7.3	7.8
1987		9.4	9.5	9.2	9.3								
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1984	9.4	11.3	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.9	8.2	8.6
1985	9.6	10.0	9.9	8.7	10.1	9.9	9.9	9.5	9.0	9.6	10.4	9.9	8.8
1986	8.7	9.2	10.5	9.6	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.3	8.4	8.7	8.3	7.9	7.6
1987		8.9	9.0	10.8	11.4								
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1984	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.4	6.9	6.1	6.6
1985	6.6	7.7	7.3	5.9	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.0	6.3	6.5	7.3	6.6
1986	5.7	6.5	7.7	6.7	5.8	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.5	4.8	4.9	4.9
1987		6.3	6.1	5.8	5.8								
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1984	10.7	12.9	12.0	12.7	11.3	10.4	10.4	10.1	10.3	9.9	10.3	8.9	9.7
1985	11.5	13.0	12.6	10.3	11.6	11.9	12.5	11.2	10.8	10.5	11.0	11.6	10.5
1986	10.2	10.8	13.2	11.3	9.9	10.2	10.9	10.1	9.9	9.8	9.1	8.9	8.6
1987		10.5	10.4	10.1	10.2								

NOTE: For Kankakee and Lake County PMSA data see county. *Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Dept. of Employment Security. p - preliminary / r - revised
**Data for years prior to 1985 are for standard metropolitan statistical areas. Chicago Area from 1985 is defined as an average of rates for the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora-Elgin and Joliet.

ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE*

COUNTY	1984	1985	1986	1987 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct
Adams	11.0	11.4	9.5	9.9	10.2	9.5	9.4	9.2					
Alexander	25.7	24.0	20.6	21.1	22.8	21.3	20.7	19.9					
Bond	11.9	11.9	11.1	11.9	11.7	11.7	12.3	11.2					
Boone	7.9	9.7	7.9	8.9	8.7	16.0	19.1	20.1					
Brown	9.6	10.5	8.3	10.4	11.4	9.1	12.1	10.7					
Bureau	9.8	10.2	9.4	10.7	11.7	10.9	9.9	8.9					
Calhoun	21.5	20.6	19.8	21.4	22.1	20.5	18.4	17.2					
Carroll	8.1	10.3	9.3	9.6	9.4	8.9	8.0	7.5					
Cass	9.8	9.6	9.8	11.9	12.6	12.2	24.1	23.6					
Champaign	6.0	5.5	4.6	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.0	4.9					
Christian	10.9	9.5	8.7	10.8	10.9	9.6	9.0	9.0					
Clark	15.9	14.7	13.2	15.3	16.0	14.8	14.7	12.5					
Clay	15.2	15.2	16.2	16.6	16.6	16.6	15.9	14.3					
Clinton	10.9	11.8	10.2	11.4	11.7	11.0	10.7	9.7					
Coles	8.2	9.0	8.3	8.6	8.3	7.9	7.9	7.6					
Cook	8.6	8.7	7.8	7.6	7.7	7.5	7.8	8.0					
Crawford	13.5	16.6	16.4	19.0	17.9	17.3	15.7	15.0					
Cumberland	13.3	13.2	12.4	12.6	13.3	11.8	12.0	9.4					
DeKalb	6.7	7.2	6.3	6.3	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.6					
DeWitt	10.0	11.0	13.3	11.9	12.3	12.3	11.3	11.5					
Douglas	7.8	8.9	8.0	9.1	9.1	7.7	8.4	7.4					
DuPage	6.2	5.0	4.6	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.8					
Edgar	15.7	15.8	12.8	15.4	16.5	15.3	13.7	13.0					
Edwards	11.1	11.6	12.8	13.2	13.5	13.9	14.2	13.2					
Effingham	10.7	10.7	9.6	10.3	10.1	9.1	8.7	7.9					
Fayette	16.4	15.2	16.5	18.3	18.7	17.5	16.9	14.7					
Ford	9.8	7.6	7.4	9.2	8.9	7.8	7.1	6.5					
Franklin	16.6	16.9	16.1	18.9	18.6	17.8	20.0	17.1					
Fulton	14.9	14.6	12.1	13.5	13.6	13.0	12.2	11.1					
Gallatin	19.4	16.6	17.6	18.4	18.1	18.3	18.8	17.4					
Greene	10.8	9.8	9.2	10.9	11.3	10.4	9.7	8.5					
Grundy	9.8	10.4	9.3	11.1	12.0	11.5	11.3	11.3					
Hamilton	18.9	19.6	20.1	24.0	24.4	24.5	25.6	20.7					
Hancock	10.2	9.7	9.6	9.2	10.3	9.4	9.7	8.7					
Hardin	18.0	16.3	15.0	14.0	14.0	14.7	15.1	14.9					
Henderson	12.2	12.3	11.4	9.8	10.7	9.9	10.2	9.4					
Henry	12.9	13.3	12.3	11.2	11.3	10.4	9.3	9.3					
Iroquois	8.9	8.7	8.3	10.2	9.9	9.3	8.9	8.8					
Jackson	8.7	8.8	8.3	9.4	9.2	8.9	9.0	8.7					
Jasper	12.5	13.9	12.4	12.4	12.1	11.1	9.8	9.5					
Jefferson	13.6	13.8	13.5	16.1	16.4	15.9	17.2	16.5					
Jersey	12.8	13.6	11.0	11.1	11.7	11.1	11.2	10.5					
Jo Daviess	8.8	9.1	8.3	9.5	9.5	9.8	7.9	6.8					
Johnson	17.7	15.5	15.0	19.6	20.1	17.9	19.5	19.2					
Kane	7.9	7.9	7.0	7.3	7.4	6.9	6.4	6.2					
Kankakee	12.2	11.6	10.1	10.0	10.3	9.8	10.2	10.1					
Kendall	6.6	7.2	6.3	6.5	6.5	6.1	5.5	5.4					
Knox	13.1	15.7	13.0	12.4	12.4	11.2	10.2	10.0					
Lake	6.1	5.9	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.2	4.9	4.9					
LaSalle	12.7	13.5	11.7	12.7	14.0	13.2	13.0	12.1					
Lawrence	12.6	17.5	19.9	20.7	20.5	19.5	18.6	17.5					
Lee	11.3	10.2	9.1	9.5	9.7	8.7	8.6	8.1					

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ILLINOIS
AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE*

COUNTY	1984	1985	1986	1987 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct
Livingston	8.8	8.7	6.9	7.9	8.4	7.4	7.0	6.8					
Logan	9.6	9.0	7.1	8.9	8.2	6.8	7.3	6.5					
McDonough	11.1	10.0	7.9	7.4	7.2	8.2	6.7	6.9					
McHenry	7.3	7.7	6.3	7.2	7.6	6.9	6.4	5.9					
McLean	6.7	6.2	5.5	5.7	5.3	4.8	5.1	5.4					
Macon	10.3	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.2	11.5	10.8					
Macoupin	10.8	10.6	9.7	10.5	10.9	10.3	10.4	9.7					
Madison	10.9	11.2	9.9	10.1	10.0	9.6	9.7	9.2					
Marion	13.2	13.6	13.5	14.8	14.6	13.8	15.0	14.4					
Marshall	9.8	10.3	7.8	8.9	8.8	8.0	7.8	6.8					
Mason	10.7	12.5	12.3	13.6	13.6	11.8	11.8	10.9					
Massac	15.2	14.2	13.0	11.9	12.1	12.4	13.6	12.9					
Menard	6.0	7.6	6.9	10.1	9.9	8.2	6.8	6.7					
Mercer	14.1	12.7	12.2	12.5	12.8	12.2	9.7	8.6					
Monroe	9.4	9.1	8.7	10.5	10.0	9.1	8.7	8.3					
Montgomery	14.7	13.9	11.4	11.8	13.6	11.1	12.0	9.9					
Morgan	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.6	8.1	7.5	8.0	7.1					
Moultrie	8.6	7.9	8.4	10.1	9.4	8.6	7.4	6.5					
Ogle	9.4	9.0	9.1	9.4	9.6	8.8	9.3	9.9					
Peoria	11.3	11.0	9.0	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3					
Perry	14.9	14.1	15.1	18.8	18.7	18.5	19.6	18.0					
Piatt	8.9	7.6	9.6	10.3	10.5	9.9	9.7	9.6					
Pike	13.9	13.7	12.0	14.1	15.1	13.3	14.4	13.1					
Pope	17.2	16.0	13.0	14.1	14.8	14.8	14.0	12.7					
Pulaski	22.0	22.6	18.7	16.8	16.0	16.6	17.4	18.8					
Putnam	11.0	12.0	11.2	13.9	14.1	13.2	12.7	11.4					
Randolph	10.5	9.3	9.5	11.4	11.3	10.3	11.8	12.8					
Richland	15.1	17.7	18.4	19.6	19.1	19.6	18.2	17.2					
Rock Isld	14.4	12.8	11.1	10.4	10.2	9.5	9.3	9.2					
St. Clair	10.2	11.8	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.4	11.0	11.0					
Saline	15.9	15.1	15.6	16.6	17.4	17.2	16.2	16.0					
Sangamon	7.1	6.6	5.6	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6					
Schuyler	12.3	10.6	9.5	10.6	10.9	10.3	15.8	15.1					
Scott	9.5	10.6	9.3	12.1	12.2	9.8	9.0	7.3					
Shelby	12.8	11.4	10.8	12.7	13.0	10.9	10.0	9.3					
Stark	9.5	9.9	9.3	11.1	11.2	10.8	7.6	6.4					
Stephenson	7.6	9.7	8.0	7.3	7.4	7.2	7.2	7.3					
Tazewell	11.9	11.4	9.5	10.2	10.3	9.7	9.8	9.4					
Union	16.7	14.2	13.5	16.1	16.3	16.3	16.2	15.2					
Vermilion	13.0	14.0	12.9	13.3	14.0	13.2	13.6	13.3					
Wabash	10.4	12.3	12.9	13.5	14.2	13.6	13.3	13.4					
Warren	11.1	11.2	13.6	11.7	10.9	10.3	9.2	8.2					
Washington	12.1	10.2	9.3	12.0	12.0	11.7	12.3	11.6					
Wayne	16.4	16.6	17.3	17.7	18.5	18.1	18.3	16.0					
White	17.2	15.7	18.9	20.1	20.6	19.8	20.3	19.1					
Whiteside	12.2	12.7	9.0	8.5	8.2	7.9	7.6	7.9					
Will	8.6	8.2	7.2	7.9	8.4	8.3	8.1	8.0					
Williamson	17.4	16.6	13.9	14.4	14.7	14.1	15.6	14.5					
Winnebago	9.6	9.6	8.8	8.8	9.1	10.2	10.5	10.7					
Woodford	8.9	9.1	6.5	7.2	7.7	6.8	7.2	7.1					

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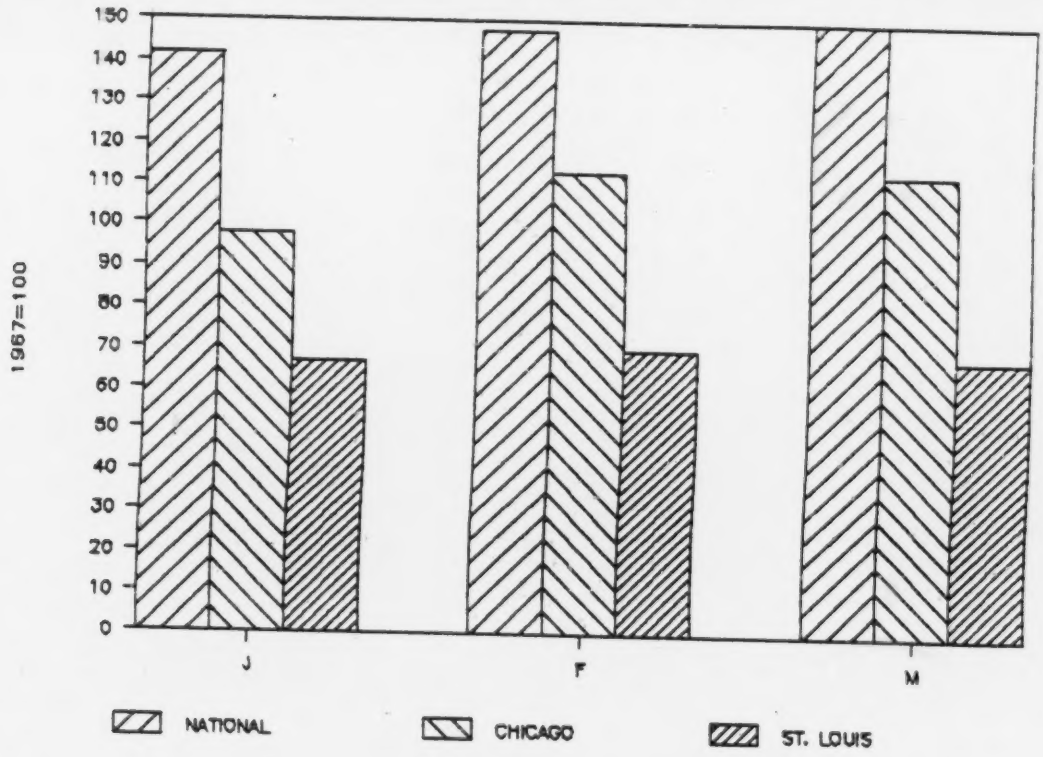
HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES



HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES*
(Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National Index (51 Papers)	1985	141	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136	140	144	145
	1986	143	142	138	132	128	141	140	134	135	141	146	144
	1987	142	148	150									
East North Central (10 Papers)	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	90r	86	85	86	93	96
	1986	90	92	91	90	86	96	94	92	90	93	99	102
	1987	92	101	101									
Chicago	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101	98	95	96	103	104
	1986	91	93	94	94	89	101	103	100	101	105	109	113
	1987	98	113	113									
St. Louis**	1985	51	72	72	64	64	73	67	65	67	64	64	67
	1986	69	70	70	65	65	70	65	64	62	63	71	62
	1987	67	70	68									

*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.
r - revised NA - not available
**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.
SOURCE: The Conference Board.

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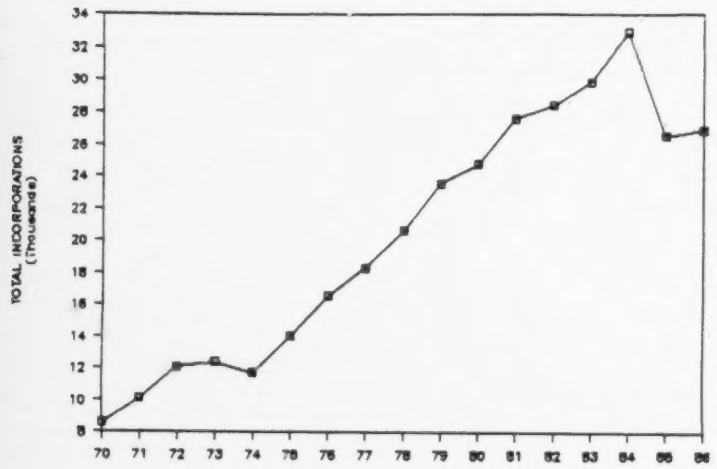

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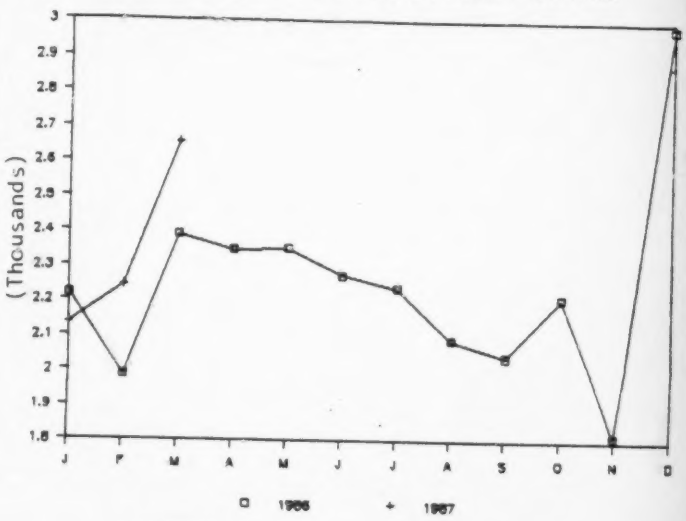


ANNUAL

Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8
1985	26,574	-19.3	5.3
1986	26,955	1.4	6.1

MONTH*

Month	1986	1987	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	U.S.
Jan	2,220	2,035	-3.8	-10.5
Feb	1,987	2,245	13	0.5
Mar	2,392	2,658	11.1	7.0
Apr	2,349			
May	2,352			
June	2,276			
July	2,238			
Aug	2,089			
Sept	2,041			
Oct	2,211			
Nov	1,814			
Dec	2,986			
TOTAL	26,955			

*Data are not seasonally adjusted.

REGIONAL COMPOSITION

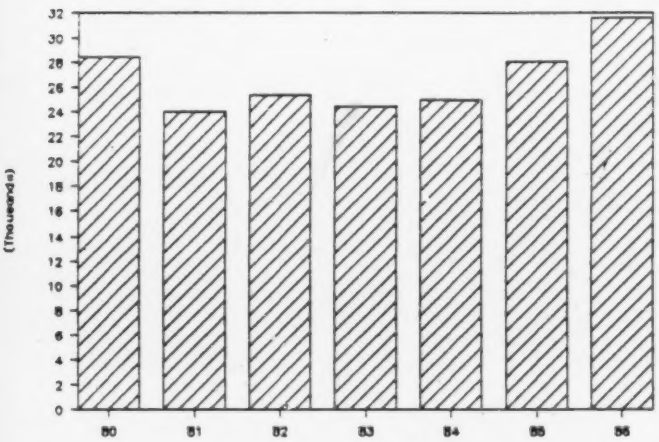
Percent of Total

Region	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
New England	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.7	5.7
Middle Atlantic	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7	18.0	18.2
E. North Central	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.5	12.3
W. North Central	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.8	4.9
South Atlantic	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8	25.2	25.6
E. South Central	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9
W. South Central	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9	9.6	10.0
Mountain	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3	6.9	6.9
Pacific	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0	12.4	12.5
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE

TOTAL BANKRUPTCY FILINGS ANNUALLY



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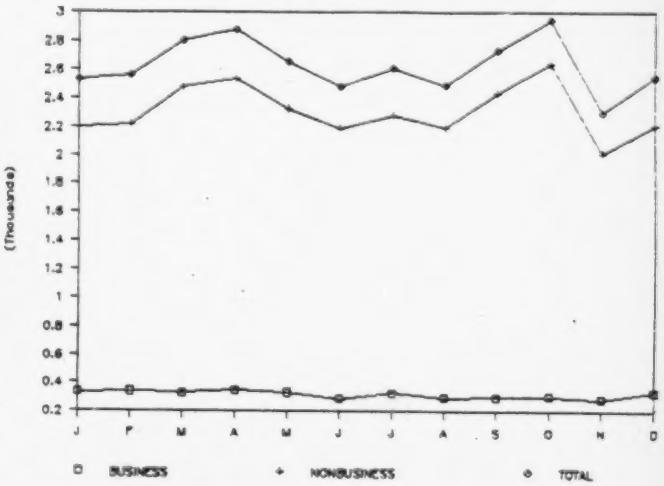


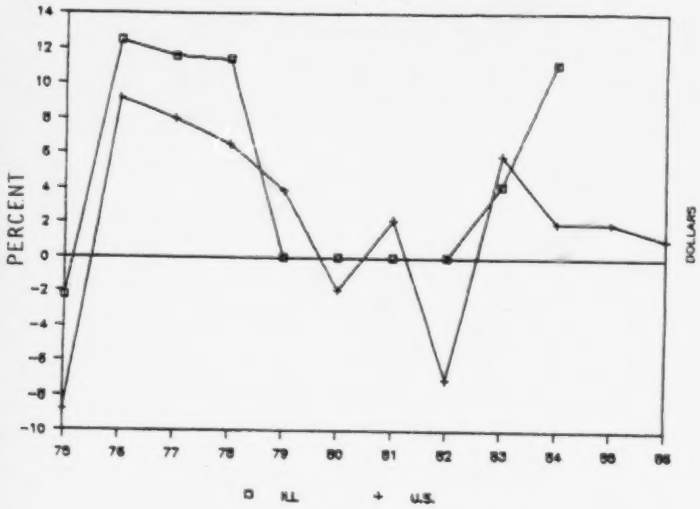
Annual	Business Filings			Nonbusiness Filings		
	No.	Cen.	So.	No.	Cen.	So.
1980	2377	821	343	17513	5175	2115
1981	1698	693	263	15567	3826	1909
1982	2232	879	389	16435	4067	1313
1983	2199	917	438	15623	4023	1203
1984	2012	1099	534	15994	4154	1194
1985	2031	1422	549	17883	4765	1465
1986	1782[p]	1361[p]	691[p]	20449[p]	5360[p]	1951[p]

Total Filings	1986 Month	Business	Non-business	Total
28344	Jan	333	2199	2532
23956	Feb	341	2220	2561
25315	Mar	331	2481	2812
24403	Apr	349	2535	2884
24987	May	332	2327	2659
28115	Jun	289	2192	2481
31594	Jul	329	2284	2613
	Aug	299	2195	2494
	Sep	301	2442	2743
	Oct	305	2646	2951
	Nov	288	2019	2307
	Dec	337	2220	2557
	1987			
	Jan	NA	NA	NA
	Feb	NA	NA	NA
	Mar	411	2400	2811

SOURCE: U.S. District Courts

ILLINOIS
MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY

MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION ANNUALLY



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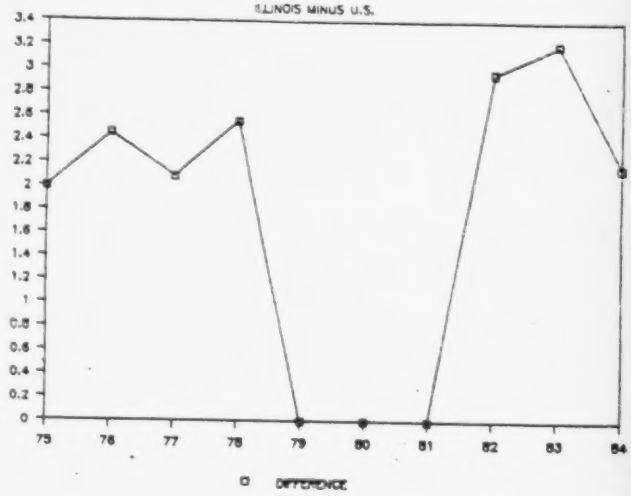

Year	--PRODUCTION-- VALUE ADDED (million)	PERCENT CHANGE Ill.	PERCENT CHANGE U.S.	Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)	-PRODUCTIVITY*- Ill.	-PRODUCTIVITY*- U.S.	----U.S. MANUFACTURING--- Industrial Production Index (1977=100)	Capacity Utilization Rate (Percent)
1975	$32,089	-2.2	-8.8	$11,198	20.38	18.38	84.8	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	9.2	11,952	22.62	20.17	92.6	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	8.0	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	6.5	13,949	26.31	23.75	106.5	84.2
1979	NA	NA	3.9	NA	NA	26.39	110.7	84.6
1980	NA	NA	-1.9	NA	NA	28.93	108.6	79.3
1981	NA	NA	2.2	19,046	NA	31.93	111.0	78.3
1982	47,705	NA	-7.1	17,394	37.97	35.01	103.1	70.3
1983	49,734	4.2	5.9	17,207	40.59	37.38	109.2	74.0
1984	55,246	11.1	11.2	18,029	42.16	39.99	121.4	80.8
1985			2.0				123.8	80.3
1986			1.1				125.1	79.2

--U.S. MANUFACTURING, MINING AND UTILITIES-- (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Industrial Prod. Index	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.5	128.1	129.3
	'86	126.2	125.3	123.6	124.7	124.2	124.2	124.9	125.1	124.9	125.3	126.0	126.7
	'87	126.5	127.2	127.3	127.2	127.8							
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'84	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.1	80.1	80.7	80.4	79.6	80.1	80.5
	'86	80.7	80.0	79.1	79.5	79.1	78.7	78.5	79.2	79.0	79.0	79.3	79.6
	'87	79.4	79.7	79.6	79.4	79.6							

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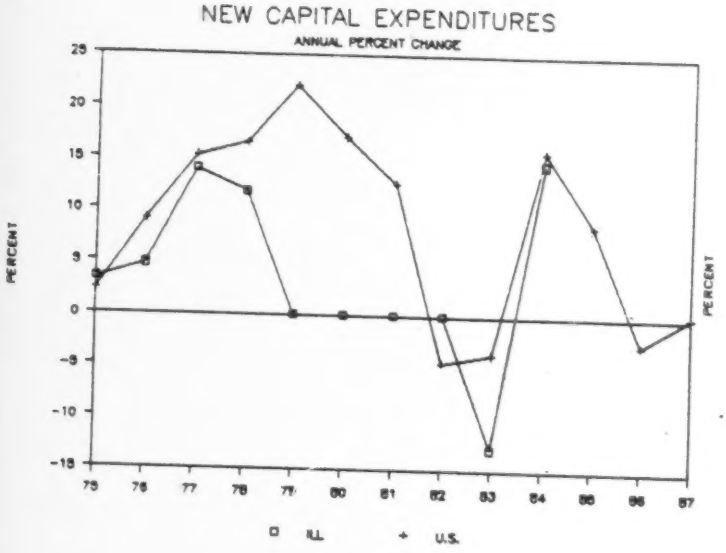
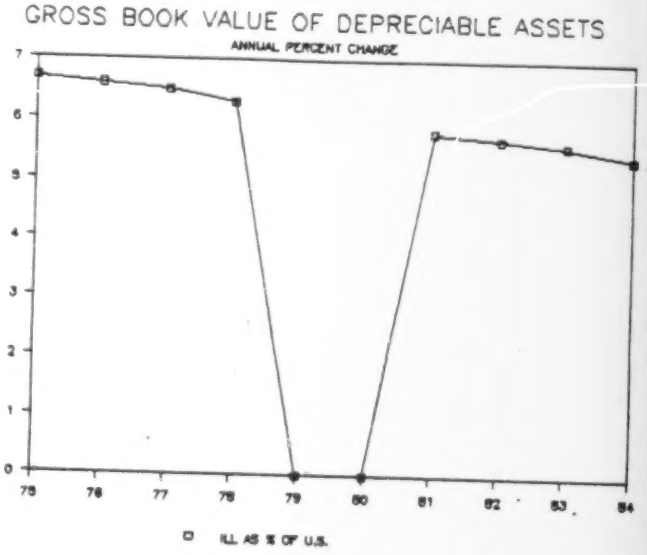
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Federal Reserve System.

ILLINOIS CAPITAL IN MANUFACTURING





Year	(Millions of Dollars) Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change Ill.	Total % Change U.S.	(Millions of Dollars) Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1975	$494	$1,734	$2,229	3.4	2.3	$7,172	$17,486	$24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,830	27,664	37,494	5.8
1982	556	2,815	3,372	NA	-4.6	10,107	29,245	39,352	5.7
1983	460	2,476	2,936	-12.9	-3.7	9,962	30,656	40,618	5.6
1984	612	2,752	3,364	14.6	15.8	9,993	31,528	41,521	5.4
1985					8.7				
1986					-2.6				
1987**					0.2				

*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.
**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending -- U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey.
SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

INSTRUMENT	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Federal Funds	9.06	10.22	8.10	6.80	6.43	6.10	6.13	6.37	6.85							
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	8.50	8.80	7.69	6.33	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50							
Prime Rate	11.16	12.04	9.93	8.33	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.75	8.14							
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)																
3 month	8.61	9.52	7.48	5.98	5.43	5.59	5.59	5.64	5.75							
6 month	8.73	9.76	7.65	6.03	5.44	5.59	5.60	5.90	6.11							
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	9.56	10.73	8.28		6.10	6.09	6.35	6.73	7.24							
Bankers Accept. (3 mo.)	1.89	8.90	7.92	6.39	5.74	5.99	6.09	6.41	6.91							
Commercial Paper																
1 month	8.87	10.05	7.94	6.62	5.95	6.12	6.22	6.39	6.83							
3 month	8.88	10.10	7.95	6.49	5.84	6.05	6.16	6.45	6.93							
6 month	8.89	10.16	8.01	6.39	5.76	5.99	6.10	6.50	7.04							
Certificates of Deposit																
3 month	9.07	10.37	8.05	6.52	5.87	6.10	6.17	6.52	6.99							
6 month	9.27	10.68	8.25	6.51	5.85	6.10	6.18	6.65	7.24							
U.S. Treasury Bonds																
1 year	9.57	10.89	8.43	6.46	5.78	5.96	6.03	6.50	7.00							
3 year	10.45	11.89	9.64	7.07	6.41	6.56	6.58	7.32	8.02							
10 year	11.10	12.44	10.62	7.68	7.08	7.25	7.25	8.02	8.61							
State & Local Bonds																
"Bond Buyer" Series	9.51	10.10	9.10	7.32	6.61	--	6.66	7.55	8.00							
Corporate Bonds AAA	12.04	12.71	11.37	9.02	8.36	8.38	8.36	8.85	9.33							
A - rated Utility Bond*	12.73	13.81	12.06	9.61	--	--	8.84	9.51	10.05							
Conventional Mortgages	13.43	13.86	12.28	10.18	9.23	9.12	9.08	9.83	10.60							
Dividend/Price Ratio																
Preferred Stocks	11.02	11.59	10.49	8.76	7.91	7.93	7.52									
Common Stocks	4.40	4.64	4.25	3.48	3.17	3.02	2.90									

* Changed from AAA utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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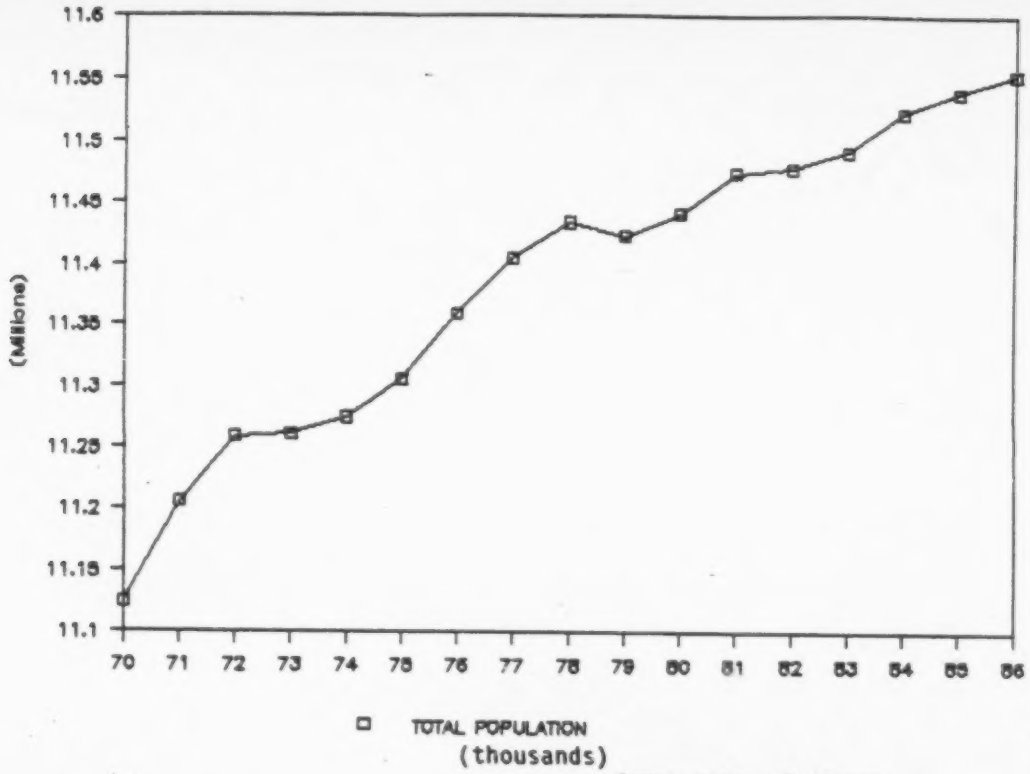
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System (Statistical Release, Bulletin).

ILLINOIS POPULATION



RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

Year		Total	Change	Black	Components of Change: Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Total Percent Change: Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*		1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800		
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,441*	+8	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.2	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+33		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,478	+4		N/A	N/A	-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,491	+13		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	0.9
1984	(July 1 EST.)	11,522	+31				-35,000	0.3	0.9
1985	(July 1 EST.)	11,538	+16				N/A	0.1	0.9
1986	(July 1 EST.)	11,553	+15						

*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

PROJECTIONS	Illinois Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	U.S. Department of Commerce Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1985	11,585	N/A	N/A	N/A
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE (millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1982	FY 1985	1985 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1482	$ 804	15.3
Feed Grains	214	1284	1195	15.8
Wheat & Flour	28	309	121	2.7
Meats & Prod.	13	45	38	3.3
Hides & Skins	8	26	36	2.9
Fats & Oils	10	22	19	3.1
Other	81	81	79	1.2
TOTAL	$758	$3313	$2339	7.5
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(2)	(3)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS (thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	N/A
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	108.9
Trade	30.9	48.0	39.7
Business Services	15.2	32.6	16.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	11.6
Other	21.7	22.3	19.7
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS (millions)

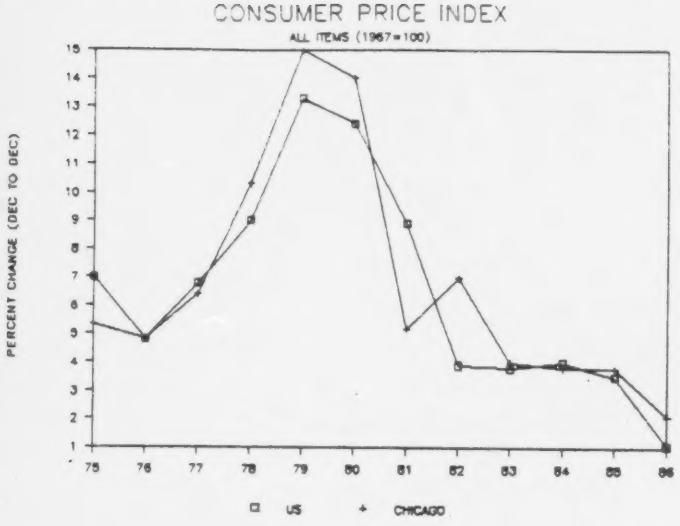
	1977 Direct	1977 Supporting	1977 Total	1983 Direct	1983 Supporting	1983 Total	Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts. 1983	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands) 1977	1983
Machines, exc. Elec.	$2,892	$ 566	$3,458	$2,139	$. 662	$ 2,801	20.2	40.8	26.6
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273	222	1,090	1,312	18.2	14.0	9.5
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760	568	784	1,352	12.0	6.7	5.4
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847	796	370	1,166	11.6	17.4	15.5
Food & Kindred	736	196	932	818	291	1,109	5.5	3.5	2.8
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917	315	733	1,048	10.6	15.8	12.3
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554	557	155	712	11.4	4.9	4.7
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217	159	276	434	11.2	4.5	4.2
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198	38	361	399	3.7	0.3	0.3
Instruments	254	57	312	243	67	310	12.5	6.7	4.3
Paper & Allied	35	141	176	33	238	270	7.6	2.5	2.3
Other	360	212	572	474	293	770	4.9	23.0	21.0
TOTAL	$6,313	$3,903	$10,216	$6,363	$5,320	$11,683	10.1	140.1	108.9

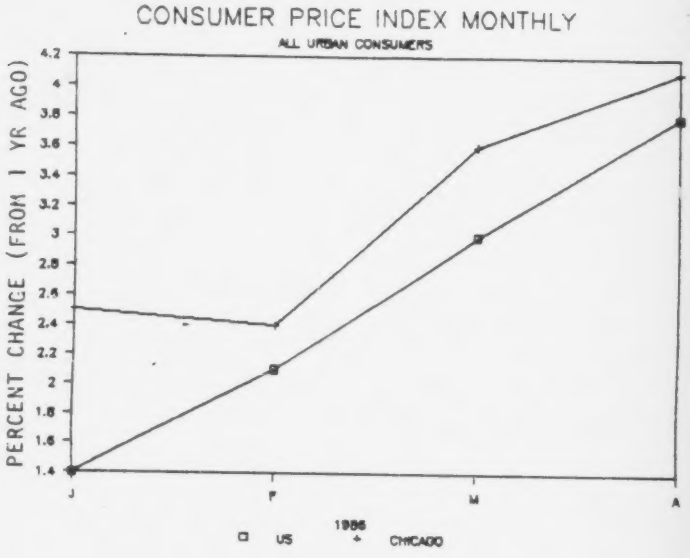
TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Agriculture	$2,752	$2,812	$2,923	$3,645	$3,614	$3,313	$2,950	$2,930	$2,339
Manufacturing	10,216	10,511*	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511	11,683	12,541*	11,837*
Direct)	(6,313)	NA	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(6,362)	NA	NA
Indirect	(3,903)	NA	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(5,320)	NA	NA
Gross Total	12,788	13,323	16,618	20,090	20,653	19,824	14,633	15,471	14,176
Less Duplication**	-1029	-1,062*	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	1,109	-1,160*	-1,063*
Net Total	$11,759	$12,261	$15,221	$18,294	$19,119	$18,386	$13,524	14,311	13,113
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(5)		

*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs
**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.
NOTE: Totals from figures in parentheses may not add due to rounding.

U.S. AND CHICAGO AREA INDEX
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS





ALL URBAN
ANNUAL
(1967=100)

Year	U.S.	CHICAGO	% Change from Preceeding Period** U.S.	CHICAGO
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	8.6
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	12.5
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.4
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	9.6
1982	289.1	287.4	6.2	6.8
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	4.0
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.8
1985	322.2	321.8	3.5	3.8
1986	328.4	328.5	1.1	1.6
1987***			3.8, 3.9	
1988***			4.6, 4.6	
1989***			5.1, 4.7	

1987
MONTH
(1967=100)

	ALL URBAN U.S. INDEX	ALL URBAN U.S. % Chge from 1 yr. ago	ALL URBAN CHICAGO INDEX	ALL URBAN CHICAGO % Chge from 1 yr. ago	URBAN WAGE EARNERS U.S. INDEX	URBAN WAGE EARNERS U.S. % Chge from 1 yr. ago	URBAN WAGE EARNERS CHICAGO INDEX	URBAN WAGE EARNERS CHICAGO % Chge from 1 yr. ago
Jan	333.1	1.4	334.3	2.5	327.7	1.0	319.1	2.0
Feb	334.4	2.1	334.2	2.4	329.0	1.8	319.0	2.0
Mar	335.9	3.0	335.5	3.6	330.5	2.8	320.1	3.4
Apr	337.7	3.8	337.1	4.1	332.3	3.7	321.6	4.0
May	338.7	3.8	338.4	4.4	333.4	3.7	322.7	4.2

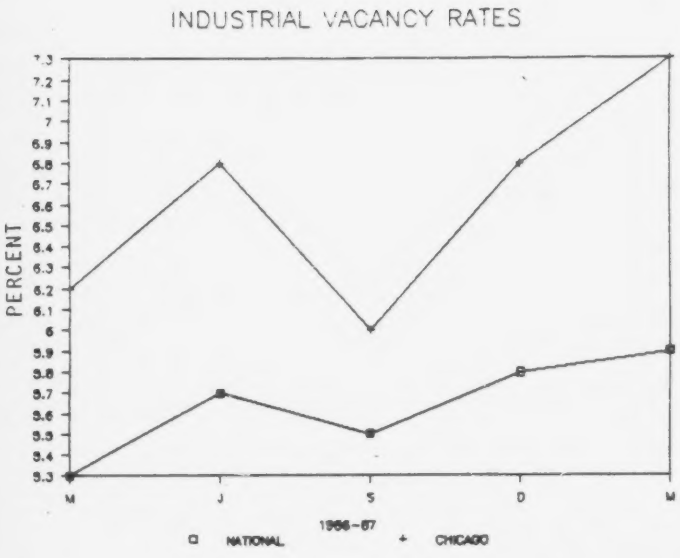
*As of Jan. 1, 1987, the Chicago Area Index was expanded to cover Cook, DuPage, Kane, Kendall, Grundy, Lake, McHenry and Will Counties in Illinois; Lake and Porter Counties in Indiana; and Kenosha County in Wisconsin.

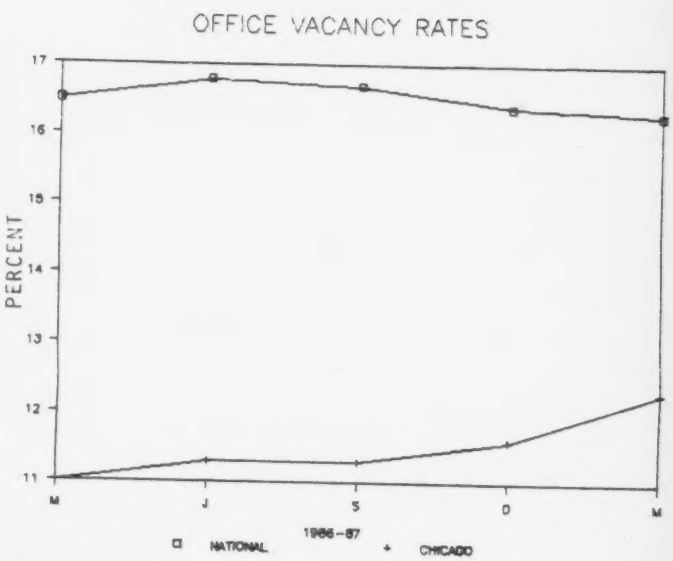
**Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).

***Wharton (Chase) Econometric Forecast (JUNE), Data Resources Forecast (JULY), Average annual changes.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

INDUSTRIAL AND OFFICE VACANCY RATES





INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES*

	1984				1985				1986				1987			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.7	5.5	5.8	5.9			
Chicago	7.6	7.7	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.8	6.2	6.8	6.0	6.8	7.3			
Southern California	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5	5.4	5.9	5.6	6.3	6.1			
Philadelphia	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.5	3.8	3.3	3.3	2.9	3.3			
Houston	5.4	4.8	6.0	7.7	13.5	14.8	15.0	14.1	14.5	14.0	15.3	14.9	14.4			
St. Louis	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	6.3	6.7	6.6	6.7	4.7			

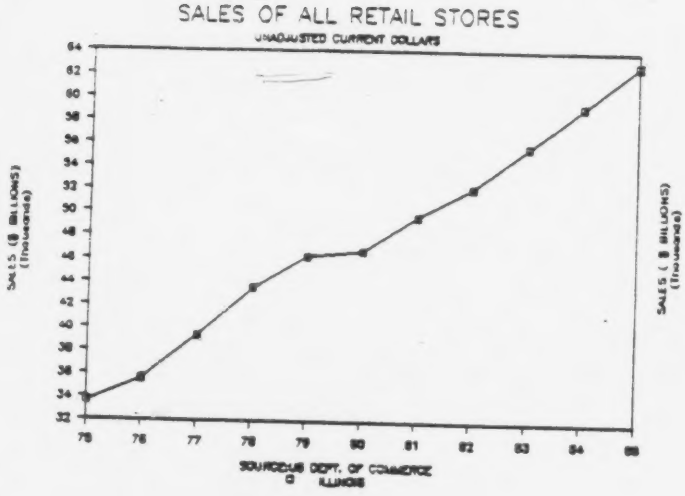
*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in selected metro areas.

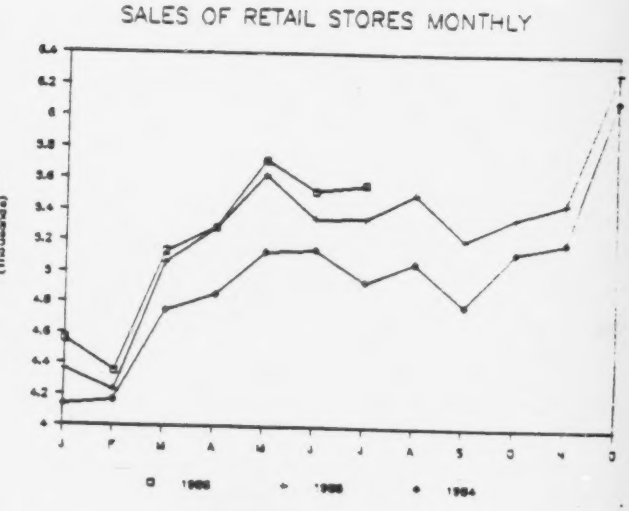
DOWNTOWN OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1984				1985				1986				1987			
	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D	M	J	S	D
National	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5	16.5	16.5	16.8	16.7	16.4	16.3			
Manhattan Downtown	4.5	6.5	7.1	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0	11.1	10.8	11.2	10.2	9.9	9.8			
Chicago Suburban	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4	10.6	11.0	11.3	11.3	11.6	12.3			
Los Angeles	14.1	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9	21.7	20.9	21.4	22.5	26.1	25.0			
Phil'phia	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5	18.2	18.5	15.9	17.5	15.0	14.6			
Houston	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8	10.2	9.2	10.8	11.1	9.3	9.0			
St. Louis	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3	20.2	19.1	18.8	18.4	20.0	22.1			
	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4	10.8	11.0	16.5	20.2	20.1	17.8			

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in selected downtown areas. r: revised
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.

ILLINOIS SALES OF ALL RETAIL STORES





ANNUAL (millions)

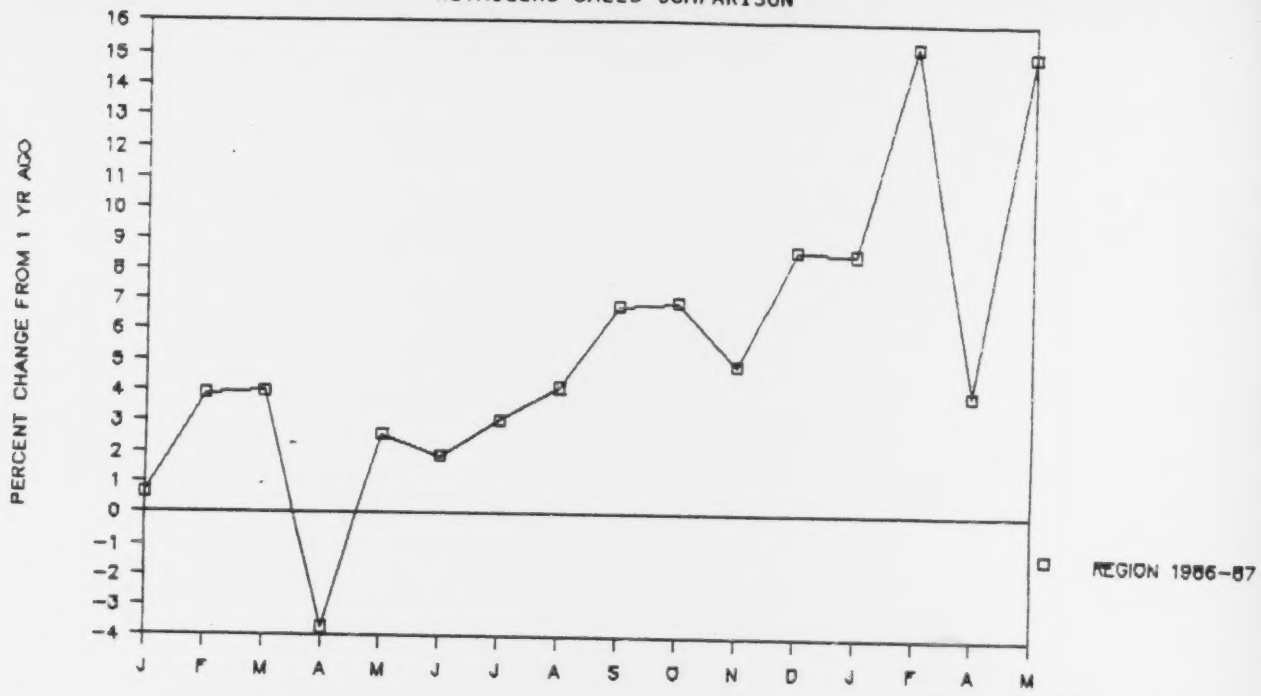
Year	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	U.S.
	------AMOUNT----------			--PERCENT CHANGE---			
1978	$43,463	$28,721	$ 10,676	10.5	10.4	13.1	11.2
1979	46,216	30,992	10,880	6.3	7.9	1.9	11.4
1980	46,742	31,365	10,606	1.1	1.2	-2.5	6.7
1981	49,715	32,325	10,821	6.4	3.1	2.0	8.5
1982	52,195	34,538	10,850	5.0	6.8	0.3	3.0
1983	55,696	36,799	11,033	6.7	6.6	1.7	9.5
1984	59,263	39,604	12,341	6.4	7.6	11.9	10.1
1985	62,896	41,731	12,452	6.1	5.4	0.9	6.2
1986							5.2

MONTH* (millions) 1986

Mo.	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	U.S.
				Percent Change from 1 Year Ago			
Jan	$4,561	$3,123	$ 919	4.5	8.6	5.3	6.9
Feb	4,355	3,052	906	2.9	7.8	6.7	4.3
Mar	5,132	3,500	1,030	1.4	6.1	6.4	4.5
Apr	5,288	3,557	1,043	0.1	4.4	3.4	3.0
May	5,720	3,830	1,118	1.7	5.3	6.2	4.9
Jun	5,524	3,669	1,038	3.3	7.8	1.8	4.9
Jul	5,566	3,757	1,093	4.0	6.0	-1.4	4.8
Aug							2.7
Sep							9.3
Oct							6.5
Nov							1.9
Dec							9.3
	----------1987----------						
Jan							-0.3
Feb							6.2
Mar							4.8
Apr							7.7p
May							1.7p

*SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/MSA/CSA configurations until 1987.
p=preliminary r=revised
*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.
SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.

RETAILERS SALES COMPARISON

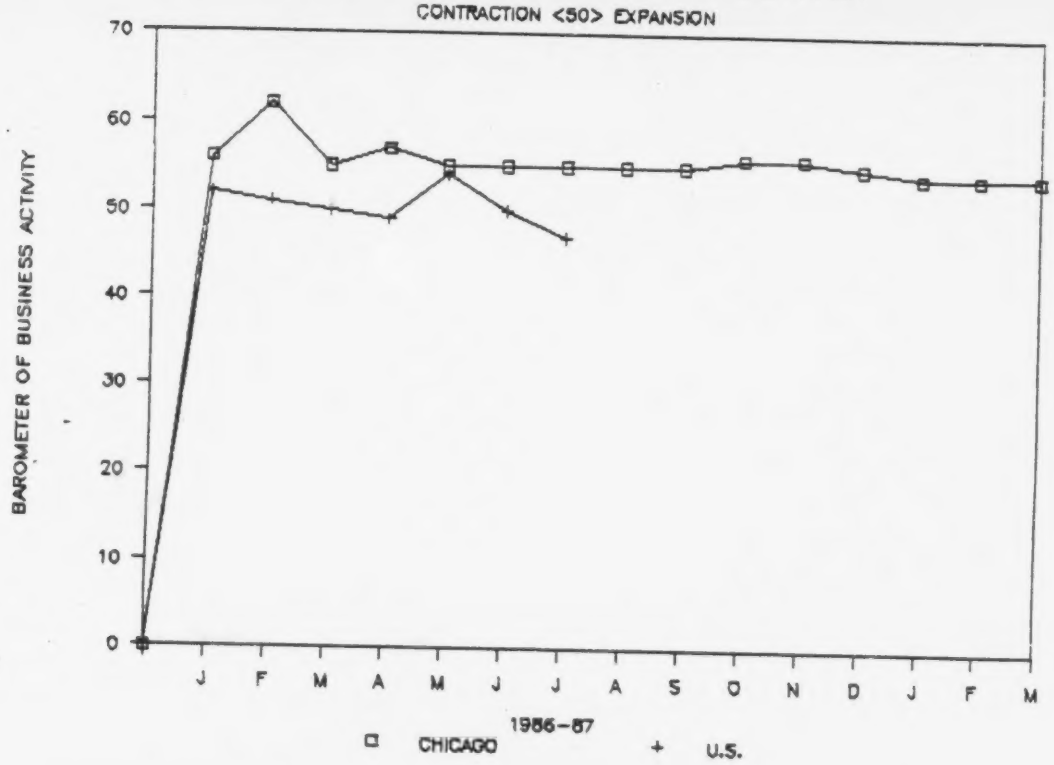


MONTH		GROSS SALES RECEIPTS ----------AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO---------- REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	TOTAL REGIONAL* AVERAGE CHANGE --------IN SALES BY TYPE--------- DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
	1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
	1985	4.93	5.94	2.05	2.91	5.12	4.92	1.92
	1986	5.61	6.56	4.38	0.65	6.06	1.70	0.63
1986								
JAN		0.64	0.23	0.13	6.48	1.33	-11.26	4.96
FEB		3.90	3.24	6.12	2.85	4.33	5.62	4.27
MAR		3.99	3.56	5.10	7.50	4.56	1.99	-9.33
APR		-3.71	-4.85	1.33	-1.00	-4.46	-2.21	7.04
MAY		2.57	2.22	3.67	4.15	2.32	0.99	7.81
JUNE		1.87	1.18	4.90	3.55	1.58	6.27	0.98
JULY		3.06	3.52	3.86	-2.11	3.66	-2.40	-1.81
AUG		4.13	4.92	3.37	2.23	4.47	3.38	-3.00
SEPT		6.82	8.50	1.78	2.89	7.81	-1.44	NA
OCT		6.97	7.06	9.02	2.51	7.19	7.33	0.87
NOV		4.88	6.04	3.22	-1.14	5.08	1.70	4.39
DEC		8.66	11.18	3.84	-4.22	8.95	3.06	9.46
1987								
JAN		8.58	7.81	13.99	4.08	8.63	7.14	9.77
FEB		15.30	18.47	9.94	-2.85	16.24	9.22	0.72
MAR		3.98	5.47	0.67	-4.22	4.00	4.82	2.02
APR		15.02	16.26	14.50	4.36	15.60	7.13	12.23
MAY		13.47	16.17	6.82	4.96	14.17	6.25	7.39

Year to Date

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern IL, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.
SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.

PURCHASING MANAGERS SURVEY



1985-1987**

BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity)		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
CHICAGO	1985	51	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50	47	54	55
	1986	56	62	55	57	55	55	56	57	55	56	56	55
	1987	54	54	55	56								
U.S.	1985	53	50	48	47	47	47	47	47	51	52	53	51
	1986	52	51	50	49	54	50	47	--	--	--	51	52
	1987	--	52	54									

1986-1987
CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

	1986						1987			
	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A
PRODUCTION	50	57	55	58	56	56	54	60	66	66
NEW ORDERS	51	57	54	57	58	53	56	60	66	66
ORDER BACKLOG	47	51	50	50	53	48	49	52	56	55
INVENTORIES	50	50	47	45	50	52	49	54	56	56
EMPLOYMENT	46	47	49	48	45	46	44	54	56	55
VENDOR DEL.	47	49	49	46	44	44	44	48	45	43
PRICES PAID	57	58	56	62	56	58	70	68	72	71

*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction
**Barometer data are seasonally adjusted; all other data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1986 -1987
(millions)

	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$245	$283	$288	$336	$ 99	$194	$ 78	$ 80	$ 99	$145	$ 74	$186	$197
Revenues:													
Income Tax	345	350	243	236	340	256	211	330	422	253	381	501	401
Sales Tax	237	310	269	257	281	329	228	330	263	242	252	251	251
Other	116	125	106	106	112	146	78	126	128	66	131	140	107
Transfers In	67	68	40	54	63	58	52	68	51	208	73	62	56
Federal	134	132	130	137	141	135	150	128	115	149	129	132	108
TOTAL REVENUES	899	985	788	790	937	924	719	982	979	918	966	1086	923
Expenditures:													
Public Aid	254	217	285	242	264	242	198	234	276	244	250	256	261
Common School Fund	163	326	--	265	89	177	177	202	178	177	177	177	177
Operations	209	183	233	266	275	272	200	252	253	262	250	267	246
Other	183	202	141	188	151	266	90	211	157	209	118	292	221
Transfers Out	52	52	81	66	63	83	52	64	69	97	59	83	82
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	861	980	740	1027	842	1040	717	963	933	989	854	1075	987
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$283	$288	$336	$ 99	$194	$ 78	$ 80	$ 99	$145	$ 74	$186	$197	$133

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL

	TOTAL		ALL AGENCIES EXCEPT EDUCATION		EDUCATION	
1986	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)
January	116,300	$212,799	78,417	$152,558	37,963	$60,241
February	118,828	213,127	78,514	151,980	40,314	61,147
March	118,977	214,408	78,626	152,599	40,351	61,809
April	119,086	213,567	78,643	152,107	40,443	61,460
May	118,170	214,488	79,113	153,307	39,057	61,181
June	112,134	216,260	80,574	158,350	31,560	57,910
July	111,349	212,380	80,472	156,138	30,877	56,242
August	115,427	219,134	80,686	157,380	34,741	61,754
September	119,339	224,265	78,868	157,778	40,471	66,487
October	120,414	226,730	78,534	159,470	41,716	67,261
November	118,737	229,013	78,758	162,169	39,979	66,844
December	120,048	230,735	78,921	163,205	41,127	67,530
1987						
January	116,874	$226,444	78,852	$163,007	38,022	$63,437
February	119,310	227,651	78,976	163,705	40,334	63,945
March	119,989	227,801	79,489	163,585	40,500	64,215
April	120,071	227,482	79,906	163,364	40,165	64,118

SOURCE: Office of the Comptroller

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ILLINOIS BI-MONTHLY ECONOMIC DATA SUMMARY

HIGHLIGHTS

August-September, 1987

STATE

Gross State Product figures have been updated and indicate that Illinois has exceeded the U.S. average in two of the past three years. For 1986 the state posted a 3.2 percent constant dollar increase compared to a 2.5 percent gain nationally.

Total Personal Income for the state during 1986 has been revised to $180,052 million, up 5.5 percent from a year ago, seasonally adjusted at an annual rate. Per capita personal income also increased to $15,586 for Illinois and $14,461 for the U.S.

Total contracts for future construction in the first seven months of 1987 were valued at $5.55 billion, a 5 percent increase over the previous year. Residential construction led the increase with 19 percent, followed by non-building at 11 percent with non-residential at a minus 15 percent for the year.

The state labor force total for August was listed as 5,819,000 persons. Of these, 5,409,000 were employed and 410,000 (or 7.0% seasonally adjusted) are shown as unemployed. The unemployment count has dropped 1.1 percent from the same month of last year.

Average hourly wages for production workers in July was $10.89. This represents a slight increase over the $10.64 figure for July, 1986. Additionally, average weekly hours worked have remained over the 41 hour figure for the past year, with July registering 41.5 hours.

The help wanted advertising index for Chicago continued to increase over the previous years and has more than doubled in comparison to 1982. May posted a 25 percent gain from the same month a year ago and reflects the strong demand for labor.

Illinois agriculture exports in 1986 ranked second nationally with sales of $2,153 million. This represents 8.2 percent of the U.S. total output.

The all-urban consumer price index (CPI-U) for Chicago increased 1.6 percent in 1986. This compares to a 1.1 percent rise nationally. During the sixth and seventh months of 1987, the Chicago index increased (from a year ago) 4.4 percent and 4.5 percent respectively.

Retailers sales continued to increase in all areas of the state and for all types of stores within the region (Illinois and Northern Indiana). Year to date figures for the first seven months of 1987 show a 9.63 percent improvement in sales from a year ago.

A monthly barometer of business activity, the Purchasing Manager's Survey for Chicago remained positive in the first half of 1987. In June, 57 out of 100 managers indicated business activity was expanding.

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NATIONAL

The Merchandise trade deficit widened to $15.7 billion in June from $14.0 billion in May, based on the Census Bureau's new adjustment for undocumented exports to Canada. Total exports rose 1.6 percent in June, continuing their strong upward trend. Imports surged 5.8 percent to a record level, partly reflecting increased volume and prices for petroleum. Nonoil imports rose 4.7 percent.

Manufacturing and trade sales increased 1.5 percent in June after a gain of 0.4 percent in May. The current-dollar value of business inventories increased 0.4 percent in June, following a rise of 0.9 percent in May. Most of the June rise occurred at the retail level, leaving the stock-sales ratio for retailers slightly above its year-ago level. Stock-sales ratios for manufacturers and wholesalers are down from last year.

The Producer Price Index for finished goods rose 0.2 percent in July, the same as in June but below the average 0.4 percent increase during the first five months of 1987. Prices for intermediate goods rose 0.8 percent, compared with average monthly increases of about one-half percent during the first half. Prices for crude materials advanced 0.6 percent in July, slightly more than in June but well below the pace earlier in 1987.

Industrial production rose 0.8 percent in July after upward-revised gains of 0.4 percent in June and 0.7 percent in May. Output advanced at a strong annual rate of 7.8 percent during the past three months. Increases were widespread among products and materials in July, though modest cutbacks occurred in auto assemblies and home goods.

The industrial operating rate rose 0.4 percentage point in July to 80.5 percent, following a 0.4-point updward revision in June. Manufacturers used 81 percent of their capacity, 0.4 point less than their 1967-86 average. Utilities were at 81.1 percent of capacity, 6 points below their 20-year average. The operating rate for mining improved about 3 points since spring to 76.3 percent--still 11 points below the longer-term average.

Housing starts edged up 0.9 percent in July to an annual rate of 1.61 million units, following a four-month decline totaling 13 percent. Single-family starts rebounded 5.7 percent, while multi-family units resumed their downward trend with a 10-percent decline.

AUGUST-SEPTEMBER, 1987

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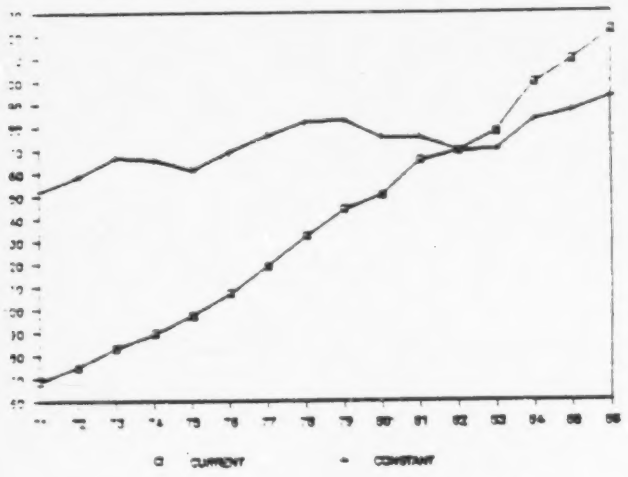

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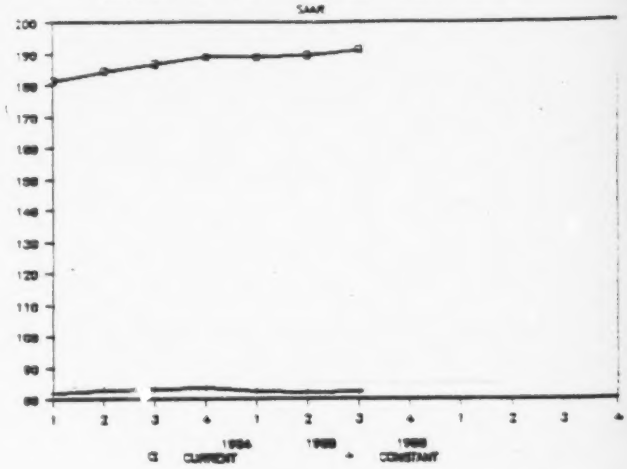

ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1982=100)	Constant $ Percent Change ILL.	U.S.
1969	$61,575	152,803	—	—
1970	64,006	149,144	-2.4	-0.3
1971	69,195	152,229	2.1	2.8
1972	75,146	158,818	4.3	5.0
1973	83,525	167,146	5.2	5.2
1974	89,864	165,674	-0.9	-0.5
1975	97,827	161,465	-2.5	-1.2
1976	107,540	169,657	5.1	4.9
1977	119,604	176,540	4.0	4.7
1978	132,635	182,207	3.2	5.3
1979	144,201	183,042	0.4	2.5
1980	150,628	175,065	-4.4	-0.2
1981	165,423	175,412	0.2	1.9
1982	169,531	169,531	-3.4	-2.5
1983	177,847	170,299	0.4	3.5
1984	199,180	183,100	7.5	6.5
1985	209,223	187,080	2.2	2.7
1986	222,014	193,137	3.2	2.5
1987				2.4, 2.6**
1988				3.3, 2.6**
1989				2.1, 2.2**
1990				1.1

QUARTER*
(millions)

Year	Current	Constant (1982=100)	Constant $ % Change at Annual Rate ILL.	U.S.
1985				
I	203,577	181,184	-5.2	3.7
II	206,738	181,929	1.6	1.1
III	210,776	185,483	2.0	3.0
IV	215,678	187,640	1.2	2.1
1986				
I	215,825	189,926	5.0	3.8
II	219,438	193,105	6.9	0.6
III	224,059	194,931	3.8	2.8
IV	228,280	198,604	7.8	1.1
1987				
I	231,386p	198,992p	0.8	4.4
II				
III				
IV				

p - preliminary r - revised (Data are non-comparable due to a methodology change.)
*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
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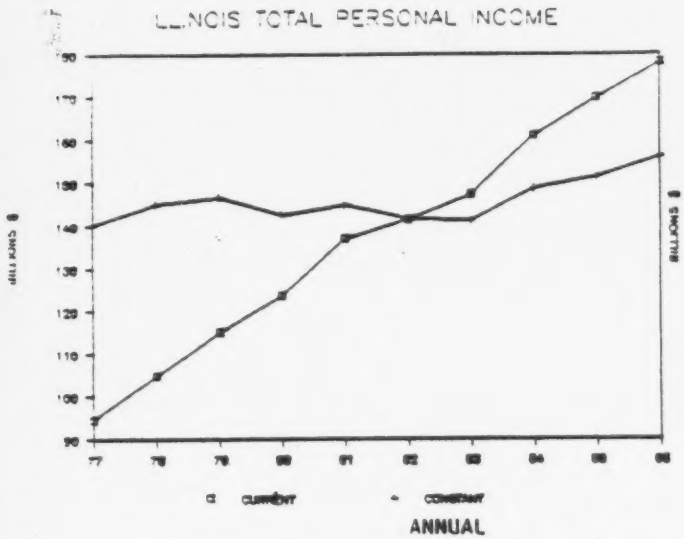

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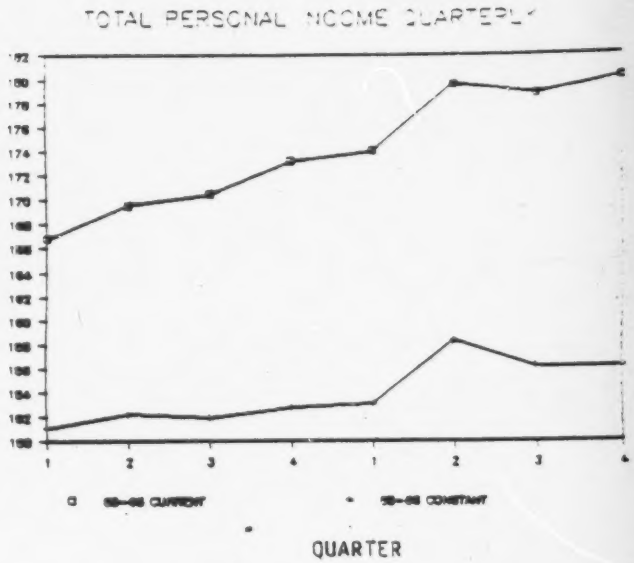

QUARTER

Year	Amount (millions) Current	Amount (millions) Constant**	Percentage Change Current ILL.	Percentage Change Current U.S.	Percentage Change Constant ILL.	Percentage Change Constant U.S.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income ILL.	Current $ Per Capita Personal Income U.S.
1977	$ 94,584	$141,719	10.1	10.8	3.2	3.9	$ 8,292	$ 7,294
1978	104,751	146,359	10.7	12.7	3.3	5.1	9,161	8,136
1979	115,252	147,443	10.0	12.3	0.7	2.8	10,090	9,033
1980	124,015	143,187	7.6	11.1	-2.9	0.3	10,840	9,919
1981	137,093	144,903	10.5	11.5	1.2	2.1	11,948	10,949
1982	142,131	142,131	3.7	5.9	-1.9	0.2	12,382	11,481
1983	148,148	142,279	4.2	6.4	0.1	2.2	12,891	12,098
1984	162,056	149,905	9.4	9.4	5.4	5.4	14,063	13,114
1985	170,604	152,501	5.3	7.1	1.7	3.5	14,788	13,907
1986	180,052	157,664	5.5	6.2	3.4	4.0	15,586	14,641
1987				6.0, 5.9***				
1988				6.9, 6.7***				
1989				7.1, 6.4***				
1990				6.7				

	Amount* (millions)	% Change at Annual Rates ILL.	% Change at Annual Rates U.S.
1986 CURRENT			
I	$174,013	1.9	6.9
II	179,622	13.5	7.5
III	179,096	-1.2	3.1
IV	180,309	2.7	4.6
1986 CONSTANT			
I	$153,046	-0.9	4.9
II	158,397	14.7	7.2
III	156,256	-5.5	-1.7
IV	156,247	0.0	-0.5
1987 CURRENT			
I	$184,404	7.0	7.8
1987 CONSTANT			
I			

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*Seasonally adjusted at annual rates.
**Personal Consumption Expenditures deflator for U.S. (1982=100).
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SOURCE: Survey of Current Business, U.S. Department of Commerce.

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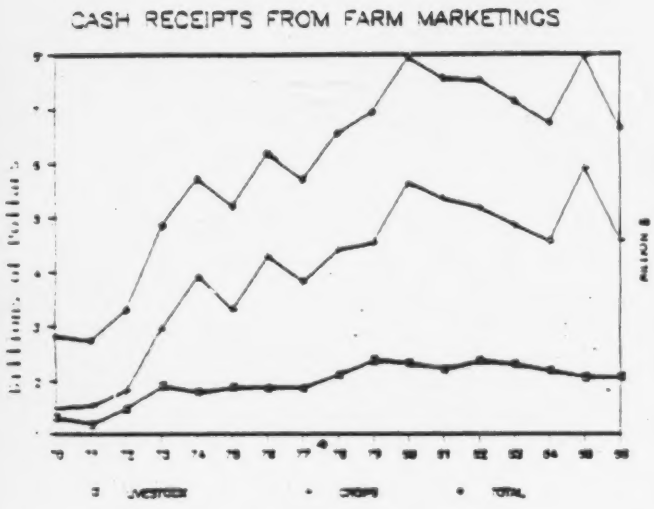

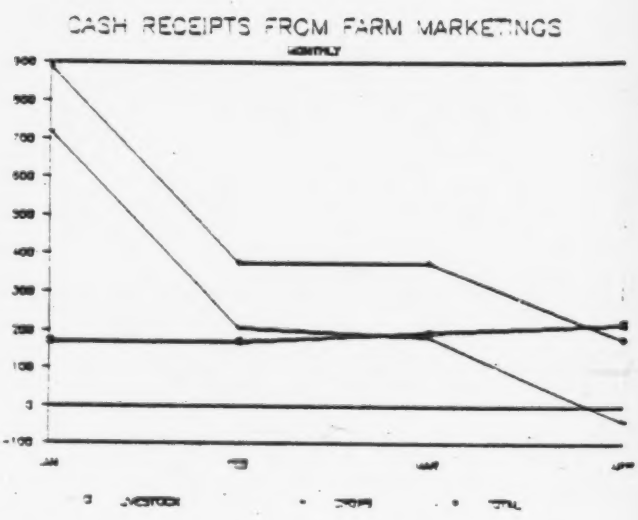

Year	ANNUAL (millions) Livestock	Crops	Total	Total Percent Change ILL.	U.S.
1970	$1,310	$1,496	$2,806	1.2	4.9
1971	1,186	1,548	2,734	-2.7	4.8
1972	1,483	1,832	3,315	21.3	15.7
1973	1,912	2,959	4,871	46.9	42.3
1974	1,797	3,928	5,725	17.5	6.1
1975	1,889	3,324	5,213	-8.9	-4.6
1976	1,872	4,311	6,183	18.6	7.4
1977	1,874	3,823	5,697	-7.9	0.8
1978	2,127	4,425	6,552	15.0	16.9
1979	2,384	4,565	6,949	6.1	17.1
1980	2,324	5,626	7,950	14.4	5.9
1981	2,220	5,342	7,562	-4.9	2.6
1982	2,369	5,169	7,538	-0.3	-0.1
1983	2,295	4,847	7,142	-5.2	-3.2
1984	2,182	4,556	6,738	-5.7	7.2
1985	2,052	5,916	7,967	18.4	1.2
1986	2,144	4,738	6,882	13.6	-8.3

1986 Month	MONTH (millions) Live-stock	Crops	Total	Total % Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	U.S.
Jan	$172	$965	$1137	+14.3	6.3
Feb	156	298	454	-3.6	-0.1
Mar	148	385	533	-16.5	-10.3
Apr	143	298	441	-10.5	-0.1
May	167	171	338	-17.9	0.2
June	173	188	361	-25.6	-0.2
July	182	244	426	-28.8	-0.1
Aug	180	169	349	-13.6	-5.6
Sept	166	258	424	-16.2	-8.3
Oct	186	613	799	-26.6	-10.7
Nov	223	659	882	-22.0	-8.9
Dec	183	638	822	+49.0	-18.3
1987					
Jan	$171	$719	$890	-21.7	-2.7
Feb	171	204	376	-17.2	-8.3
Mar	195	182	377	-29.3	-3.7
Apr	216	-40	176	-60.1	-8.9

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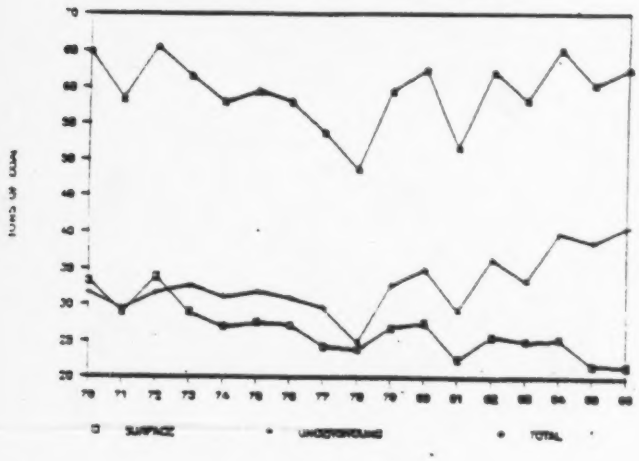
SOURCE: Agricultural Outlook, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

COAL PRODUCTION ANNUALLY



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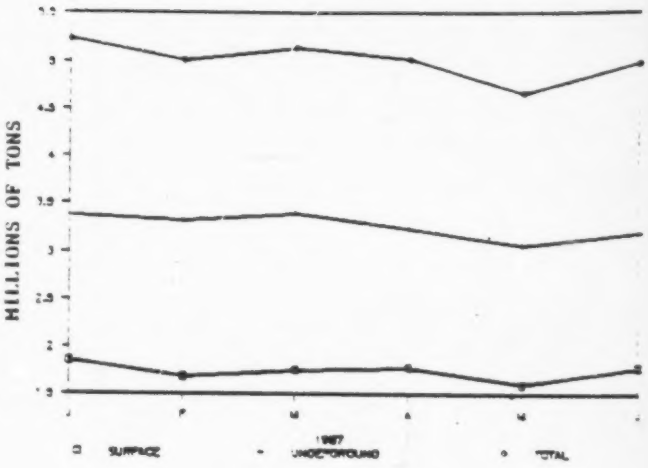

ANNUAL
(thousands of tons)

Year	SURFACE	UNDERGROUND	TOTAL	PERCENT TOTAL OF U.S.
1970	33,269	31,615	64,884	10.8
1971	28,961	29,454	58,415s	10.6
1972	33,806	31,715	65,621	11.0
1973	28,971	32,578	61,549	10.4
1974	26,969	31,104	58,073	9.6
1975	27,659	31,880	59,539	9.2
1976	27,224	30,912	58,136	8.6
1977	24,291	29,589	53,880	7.7
1978	23,855	24,889	48,744s	7.3
1979	26,857	32,681	59,538	7.6
1980	27,574	34,963	62,542	7.5
1981	22,563	29,236	51,799s	6.3
1982	25,750	36,477	62,227	7.4
1983	25,003	33,370	58,373	7.5
1984	25,344	39,945	65,289	7.5
1985	21,829	38,648	60,477	7.1
1986p	21,721	40,888	62,609	-

MONTHLY
(thousands of tons)

Month	TOTAL 1985	1986 SURFACE	1986 UNDERGROUND	1986 TOTAL
Jan	5,620	2,079	3,734	5,813
Feb	5,098	1,905	3,403	5,308
March	5,258	1,825	3,660	5,485
April	5,196	1,990	3,876	5,866
May	5,266	1,845	3,611	5,456
June	4,750	1,883	3,442	5,325
July	4,269	1,794	2,560	4,354
Aug	5,384	1,876	3,349	5,225
Sept	5,193	1,730	3,524	5,254
Oct	5,714	1,734	3,706	5,440
Nov	4,389	1,307	2,894	4,201
Dec	4,633	1,753	3,129	4,882
Month	1986	1987 SURFACE	1987 UNDERGROUND	1987 TOTAL
Jan	5,813	1,859	3,370	5,229
Feb	5,308	1,688	3,321	5,010
March	5,485	1,756	3,390	5,145
April	5,866	1,783	3,236	5,019
May	5,456	1,608	3,056	4,664
June	5,325	1,786	3,193	4,979
July	4,355	1,688	2,400	4,088

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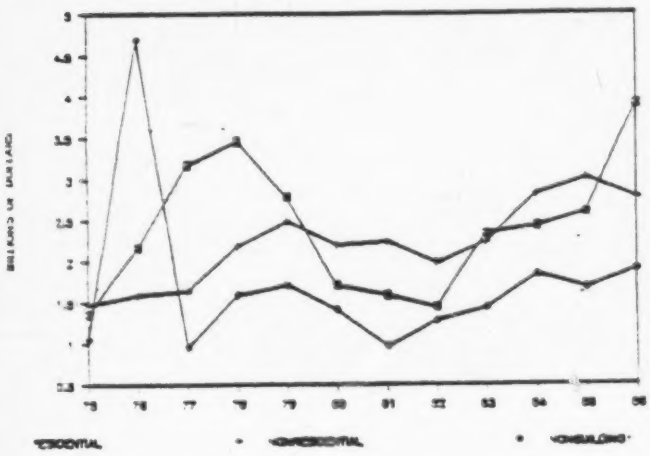
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Mines and Minerals.

ILLINOIS CONTRACTS FOR FUTURE* CONSTRUCTION

CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION ANNUALLY



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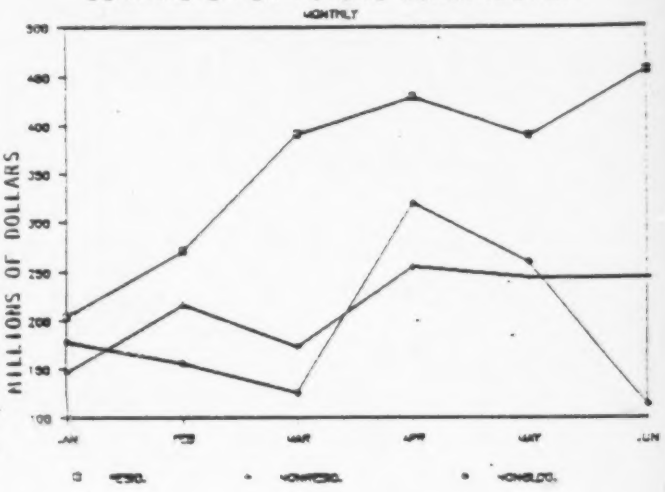
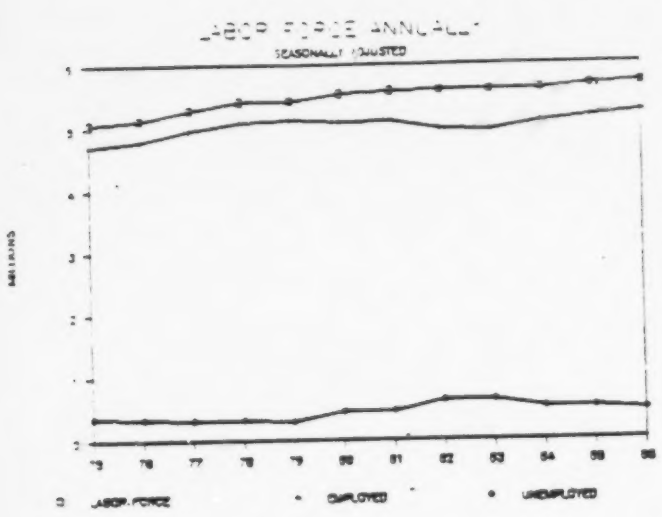


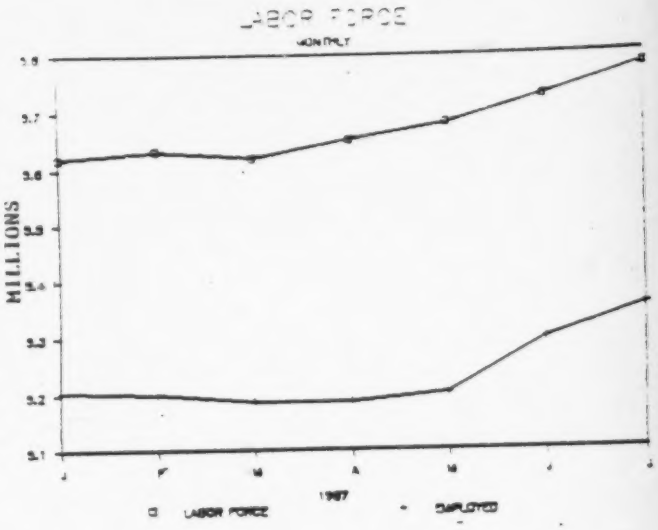
Year	ANNUAL (millions) Residential	Non-Res.	TOTAL Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Current Amount	TOTAL Constant Amount	Current Percent Change Ill.	Current Percent Change U.S.
1975	$1,363	$1,482	$1,062	$3,907	$1,988	-10.7	-1.1
1976	2,172	1,591	4,697	8,459	3,886	116.5	22.3
1977	3,183	1,641	962	5,786	2,511	-31.6	26.5
1978	3,463	2,200	1,599	7,262	2,905	25.5	13.4
1979	2,788	2,498	1,711	6,997	2,576	-3.6	4.0
1980	1,702	2,192	1,408	5,302	1,786	-24.4	-13.0
1981	1,579	2,240	962	4,781	1,471	-9.8	1.2
1982	1,435	1,977	1,284	4,696	1,393	-1.0	0.7
1983	2,338	2,242	1,439	6,020	1,678	28.2	23.0
1984	2,435	2,829	1,834	7,099	1,946	17.2	8.4
1985	2,607	3,027	1,667	7,301	1,998	5.6	5.8
1986	3,901	2,767	1,900	8,568	2,292	17.4	5.0
1987**						2.0	-4.0

1987 Month	MONTH (millions) Residential	Non-Res.	TOTAL Non-Bldg.	TOTAL Amt.	Cumulative Year-to-Date Ill.	Cumulative Year-to-Date U.S.
Jan	$204	$147	$178	$528	+30	+2
Feb	271	216	156	643	+31	+2
Mar	391	172	125	688	+21	+2
Apr	429	255	320	1,004	+18	0
May	390	243	259	892	+8	-1
June	456	243	114	814	+5	0
July	460	271	245	977	+5	+1
Aug						
Sept						
Oct						
Nov						
Dec						

*Construction generally begins about 6 months later. r - revised
**Dodge Forecast (July, 1987). Figure under Illinois is actually for North Central.
SOURCE: Dodge Division. McGraw-Hill Information System Co.

LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED





ANNUAL (thousands)

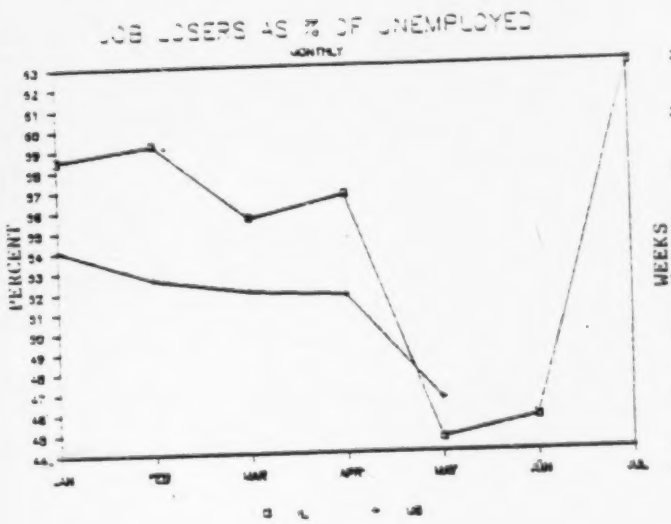
Year	ILLINOIS Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Percent**
1970	4,710	4,538	171	NA	NA
1971	4,735	4,494	242	96.5	3.0
1972	4,855	4,609	246	87.3	2.8
1973	4,909	4,705	203	68.4	1.9
1974	4,989	4,777	212	90.0	2.3
1975	5,068	4,708	360	216.8	5.6
1976	5,132	4,797	336	197.9	5.3
1977	5,289	4,964	325	172.3	4.6
1978	5,420	5,092	329	149.7	3.7
1979	5,429	5,130	298	141.0	3.1
1980	5,539	5,085	458	212.7	4.6
1981	5,578	5,111	475	196.8	4.4
1982	5,597	4,963	634	252.5	5.5
1983	5,594	4,954	640	217.8	5.0
1984	5,604	5,093	511	140.1	3.2
1985	5,673	5,160	513	146.1	3.3
1986	5,694	5,232	462	138.9	3.1

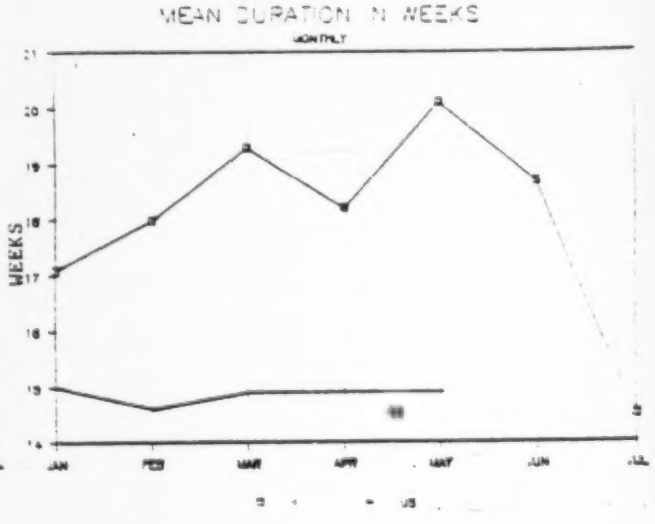
MONTH* (thousands) 1986

Month	ILLINOIS Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Insured Unemployed Numb.	Per**
Jan	5666	5228	438	170.9	3.8
Feb	5694	5151	543	179.3	4.0
Mar	5667	5165	502	171.5	3.8
Apr	5683	5217	466	152.9	3.4
May	5685	5201	484	134.0	3.0
June	5717	5252	465	131.6	2.9
July	5722	5273	449	133.5	2.9
Aug	5732	5266	466	119.3	2.5
Sep	5760	5283	477	112.6	2.3
Oct	5695	5270	425	112.9	2.5
Nov	5639	5222	417	120.8	2.7
Dec	5646	5231	415	138.4	3.1
		1987			
Jan	5620	5205	415	153.2	3.4
Feb	5633	5199	434	163.5	3.6
Mar	5620	5186	434	154.4	3.4
Apr	5652	5186	466	135.2	2.9
May	5680	5201	479	121.0	2.6
June	5727	5297	430	116.4	2.5
July	5778	5356	422	110.3	2.4
Aug	5,819	5,409	410	103.4	2.2

*Data are seasonally adjusted except for insured unemployed.
**Insured unemployment as percent of average covered employment.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS BY REASON AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT





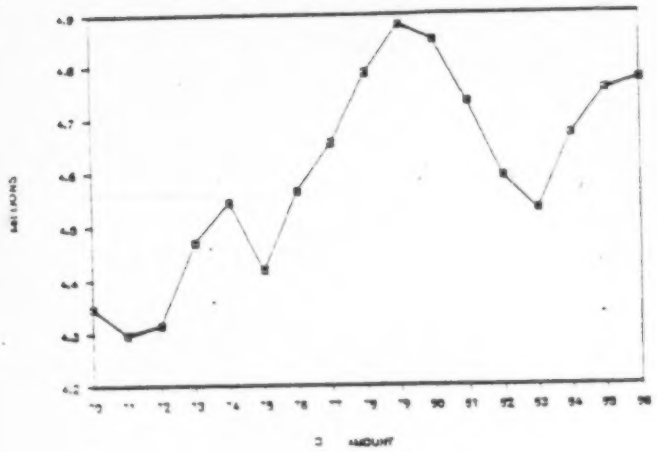
- 1987*-

	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Job Losers as Percentage of Unemployed												
ILL	58.5	59.2	55.6	56.7	44.7	45.7	62.9	51.0				
U.S.	54.1	52.6	52.0	51.8	46.6	43.1	45.5	44.4				
Mean Duration (in weeks)												
ILL	17.1	18.0	19.3	18.2	20.1	18.7	14.5	18.3				
U.S.	15.0	14.6	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.2	13.4	14.2				
ILLINOIS												
Number of Unemployed (000's)												
Job Losers	268.4	274.8	250.9	262.0	208.2	206.4	263.6	203.5				
Job Leavers	40.4	51.5	53.7	45.4	45.3	52.6	49.3	43.6				
Reentrants	98.3	78.6	98.6	122.8	129.7	109.2	100.3	105.9				
New Entrants	52.3	59.1	48.1	31.9	82.9	83.4	55.4	45.8				
TOTAL	459.0	464.0	451.3	462.1	466.1	451.6	468.6	398.9				
Duration (000's)												
Less than 15 Weeks	315.0	309.4	283.1	334.1	303.3	281.3	358.1	276.7				
15 Weeks and Over	144.0	154.6	168.2	128.0	162.7	170.3	110.5	122.1				

r - revised *Not seasonally adjusted
SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

ILLINOIS TOTAL NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

TOTAL NONAG EMPLOYMENT ANNUALLY



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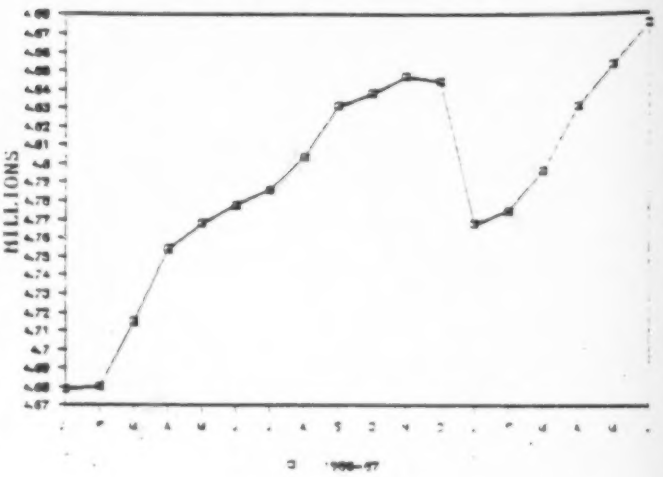


Year	ANNUAL (thousands) Amount	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.	Month	MONTH* (thousands) 1985	1986	1987	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
1970	4,346	-1.1	0.5	Jan	4,688	4,679	4,768	1.8	2.2
1971	4,296	0.4	3.5	Feb	4,688	4,680	4,775	1.7	2.3
1972	4,315	3.6	4.2	Mar	4,727	4,715	4,797	1.7	2.3
1973	4,470	1.7	1.9	Apr	4,753	4,754	4,831	1.6	2.4
1974	4,546	-2.8	-1.7	May	4,768	4,768	4,853	1.8	2.3
1975	4,419	3.3	3.2	June	4,788	4,779	4,875	2.0	2.5
1976	4,566	2.0	3.9	July	4,764	4,786			
1977	4,656	2.9	5.1	Aug	4,768	4,804			
1978	4,789	2.0	3.6	Sept	4,777	4,831			
1979	4,880	-0.3	0.8	Oct	4,782	4,838			
1980	4,850	-2.3	1.8	Nov	4,780	4,847			
1981	4,732	-2.9	-1.7	Dec	4,779	4,844			
1982	4,593	-1.4	0.6						
1983	4,531	3.1	4.7						
1984	4,671	3.1	4.8						
1985	4,755	2.1	3.3						
1986	4,777	0.7	2.6						

r - New March, 1985 benchmark revisions.
NOTE: Beginning in 1974, data are based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification Manual.
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY
ILLINOIS
(thousands)

	1984	1985	1986	1987* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	27	28	25	24	24	24	24	25	25	25					
Construction	155	172	178	160	153	159	167	177	184	192					
Manufacturing	997	971	925	922	926	926	927	927	929	930					
Transp. & Communication	278	281	278	278	278	279	281	282	283	283					
Wholesale & Ret. Trade	1148	1167	1185	1196	1194	1198	1210	1221	1228	1233					
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	322	339	347	347	347	348	350	353	357	358					
Services	1058	1101	1126	1123	1128	1133	1141	1143	1153	1161					
Government	688	698	714	717	726	732	733	726	715	690					
TOTAL	4672	4755	4777	4768	4775	4799	4830	4853	4875	4872					

CHICAGO AREA**
(thousands)

	1984	1985	1986	1987* Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Mining	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3					
Construction	108	109	112	105	104	107	114	119	124	128					
Manufacturing	691	576	549	540	540	539	539	538	543	539					
Transp. & Communication	192	185	187	189	189	189	190	192	193	192					
Wholesale & Retail Trade	775	725	732	737	729	732	738	742	748	744					
Fin., Ins., & Real Est.	247	243	251	252	252	252	253	256	260	261					
Services	776	742	759	760	762	768	770	777	785	793					
Government	398	351	357	359	363	365	364	363	364	363					
TOTAL	3189	2933	2948	2945	2942	2955	2970	2990	3020	3023					

*Data are not seasonally adjusted. **Effective with the Jan; 1985 BI Meds, the Chicago Area is redefined from an SMSA to the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora-Elgin and Joliet. March, benchmark date for annual averages and monthly statistics.
p - preliminary, r - revised. Totals may not add to sum of industries due to rounding.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

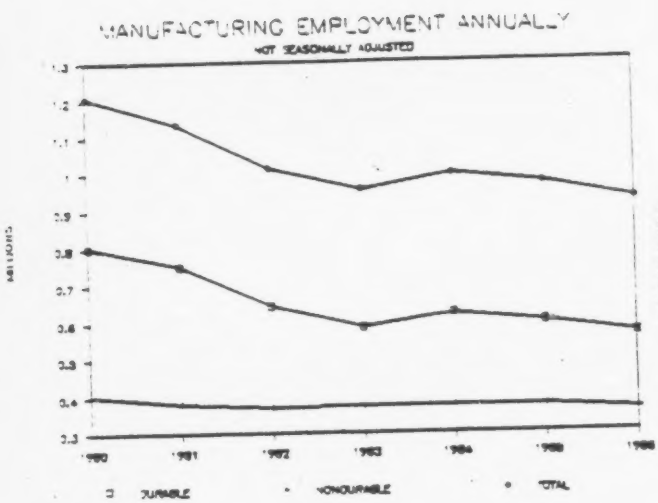
EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY IN MSA'S*
JULY, 1986 AND 1987

(thousands)

Industry	Bloomington/ Normal		Champaign/ Urbana/Rantoul		Davenport/ Rock Island/ Moline		Decatur		Kankakee		Peoria		Rockford		Springfield	
	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986	1987	1986
Construction	1.5	1.5	2.2	2.3	4.9	4.8	1.7	1.7	1.2	1.2	5.8	5.4	4.0	3.9	2.6	2.8
Manufacturing	5.1	4.5	7.7	7.7	34.0	33.7	13.5	14.1	5.4	5.3	30.5	31.4	43.3	45.2	3.8	3.9
Durable goods	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.3	24.9	24.9	6.7	7.3	2.1	2.1	24.7	25.5	36.4	38.7	1.6	1.7
Nondurable goods	2.1	1.9	5.2	5.4	8.7	8.8	6.8	6.8	3.3	3.2	5.8	5.9	6.9	6.5	2.2	2.2
Trans & Communication	2.9	2.9	1.9	2.2	8.3	8.3	4.6	4.5	1.4	1.5	6.6	6.7	4.5	4.6	4.8	4.7
Wholesale Trade	2.4	2.4	4.1	4.0	11.1	11.1	1.6	1.6	2.0	2.0	7.3	7.0	6.6	6.6	3.8	3.7
Retail Trade	10.0	10.0	15.2	15.0	31.2	31.1	9.4	9.4	6.0	6.1	26.4	25.7	21.9	21.7	15.5	15.6
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	9.4	9.1	3.2	3.2	8.1	7.9	2.7	2.8	1.6	1.6	7.1	7.0	5.6	5.4	7.9	7.9
Services	11.5	11.2	14.9	14.9	30.2	30.1	10.6	10.4	8.6	8.0	33.1	32.6	24.9	24.9	22.9	22.7
Government	9.0	8.9	29.8	28.7	27.1	26.9	5.4	5.2	6.1	7.0	15.3	15.5	12.0	11.6	31.8	31.3
Total Non-agricultural employment	51.8	50.5	79.0	78.0	154.5	154.5	49.5	49.7	32.9	32.7	132.1	131.3	122.8	123.9	93.2	92.7

Data are not seasonally adjusted.
*Excludes Chicago, St. Louis, Aurora-Elgin, Joliet and Lake County. March, 1985 benchmark date.
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT



ANNUAL (thousands)

Year	Manufacturing Employment Durable	Non-Durable	Total	Total Percent Change Ill.	U.S.
1975	789	411	1,200	-10.8	-8.8
1976	796	419	1,215	1.3	3.7
1977	822	419	1,241	2.1	3.6
1978	847	429	1,276	2.8	4.2
1979	846	425	1,272	-0.3	2.6
1980	804	404	1,208	-5.0	-3.5
1981	751	381	1,131	-6.4	-0.6
1982	643	370	1,013	-10.4	-6.6
1983	584	372	956	-5.6	-0.9
1984	623	374	997	4.3	5.3
1985	599	372	971	-2.6	-0.3
1986	565	360	925	-4.7	-0.7p

MONTH* (thousands)

Month	1985	1986	1987	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago Ill.	U.S.
Jan	989	933	922	-1.2	-0.9
Feb	988	930	927	-0.3	-0.5
Mar	987	929	926	-0.3	-0.3
Apr	981	928	927	-0.1	-0.1
May	992	923	927	0.4	0.1
June	977	924	928	0.4	0.4
July	980	922			
Aug	969	923			
Sept	961	925			
Oct	957	921			
Nov	949	923			
Dec	943	922			

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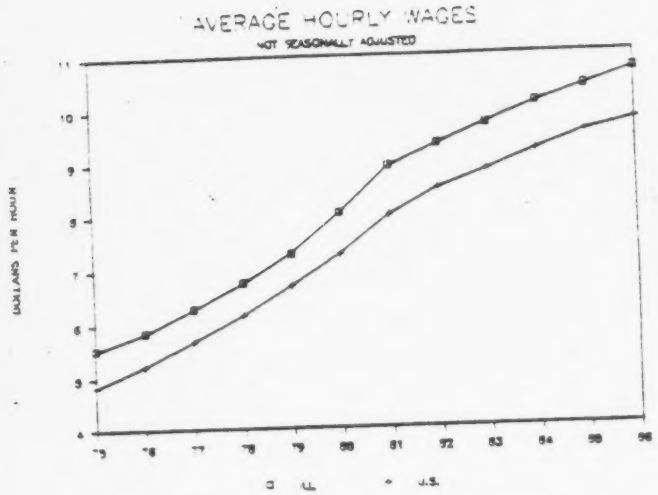
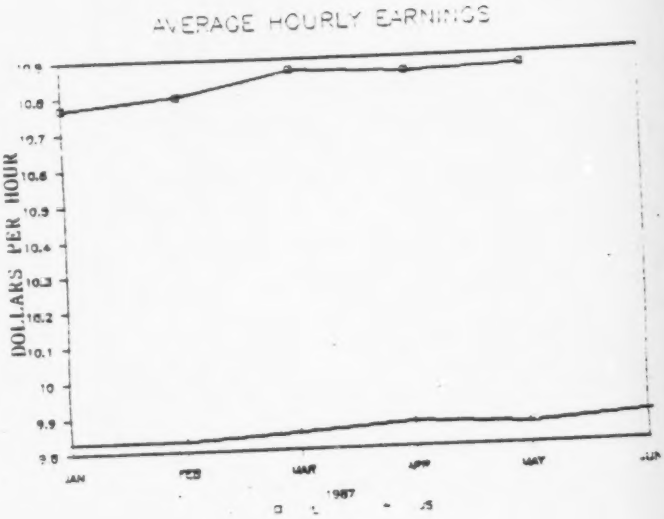
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN MANUFACTURING



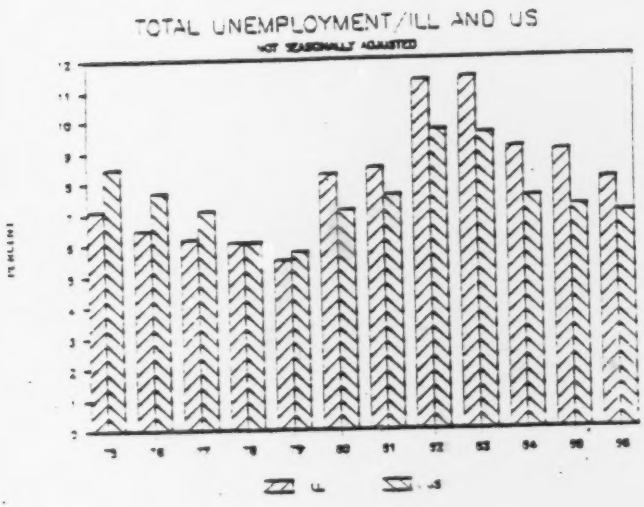


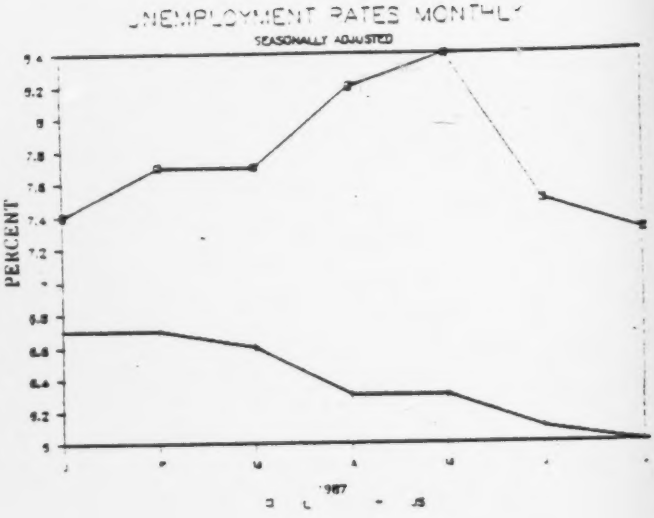
Year	Average Weekly Hours	ANNUAL Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
1975	39.7	$219.13	$ 5.53	$ 4.83
1976	40.4	236.11	5.85	5.22
1977	40.6	254.91	6.28	5.68
1978	40.1	271.42	6.76	6.17
1979	40.7	296.66	7.30	6.70
1980	39.8	320.15	8.04	7.28
1981	40.0	356.33	8.91	7.99
1982	39.2	364.86	9.32	8.50
1983	40.6	393.59	9.70	8.82
1984	41.0	412.08	10.08	9.19
1985	40.6	421.13	10.37	9.54
1986	40.9	436.75	10.67	9.73
1987				9.91**
1988				10.29**
1989				10.84**
1990				11.38**

1986 Month	Average Weekly Hours	MONTH* Average Weekly Wage	Average Hourly Earnings Ill.	Average Hourly Earnings U.S.
Jan	40.7	$428.57	$10.53	$9.65
Feb	40.1	423.06	10.55	9.68
Mar	40.9	433.13	10.59	9.70
Apr	40.6	431.58	10.63	9.68
May	40.7	434.68	10.68	9.72
June	40.8	432.07	10.59	9.71
July	40.7	433.05	10.64	9.74
Aug	41.0	436.24	10.64	9.68
Sept	41.2	439.60	10.67	9.74
Oct	41.0	437.88	10.68	9.77
Nov	41.0	438.29	10.69	9.77
Dec	41.3	441.50	10.69	9.78
		--1987--		
Jan	41.3	$444.80	$10.77	9.83
Feb	41.4	447.12	10.80	9.83
Mar	41.5	451.11	10.87	9.85
Apr	41.2	447.43	10.86	9.87
May	41.3	448.93	10.87	9.87
June	41.8	454.78	10.88	9.87
July	41.5	451.94	10.89	9.88p
Aug				9.86p

*Data are not seasonally adjusted. March, 1985 Benchmark for 1985 annual and 1986 monthly data.
**Wharton (Chase) Econometrics Forecast (AUG.).
SOURCE: Illinois Department of Employment Security.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE





YEAR
PERCENT

	ILLINOIS			U.S.		
Annual	Total	White	Black	Total	White	Black
1975	7.1	6.3	13.4	8.5	7.8	13.9
1976	6.5	5.3	15.4	7.7	7.0	13.1
1977	6.2	5.0	14.8	7.1	6.2	13.1
1978	6.1	4.8	14.8	6.1	5.2	11.9
1979	5.5	4.6	11.4	5.8	5.1	11.3
1980	8.3	7.3	15.5	7.1	6.3	13.1
1981	8.5	7.1	19.1	7.6	6.7	15.6
1982	11.3	9.2	26.2	9.7	8.6	18.9
1983	11.4	9.6	25.1	9.6	8.4	19.5
1984	9.1	7.5	21.1	7.5	6.5	15.9
1985	9.0	6.9	24.7	7.2	6.2	15.1
1986	8.1	6.2	21.8	7.0	6.0	14.5
1987				6.2, 6.3**		
1988				5.7, 5.8**		
1989				5.9, 5.8**		
1990				6.7		

MONTH
TOTAL

	ILLINOIS		U.S.	
		Seasonally Adjusted		Seasonally Adjusted
Month	1986*	1986	1986*	1986
Jan	8.6	7.7	7.3	7.1
Feb	10.1	9.5	7.8	7.3
Mar	9.1	8.9	7.5	7.2
Apr	8.2	8.2	7.0	7.1
May	8.2	8.5	7.0	7.2
June	8.4	8.0	7.3	7.1
July	7.8	7.8	6.9	6.9
Aug	7.9	8.1	6.6	6.8
Sept	7.8	8.3	6.7	7.0
Oct	7.3	7.5	6.5	6.9
Nov	6.9	7.4	6.5	6.9
Dec	7.0	7.4	6.2	6.7
	1987*	1987	1987*	1987
Jan	8.2	7.4	7.3	6.7
Feb	8.3	7.7	7.2	6.7
Mar	8.1	7.7	6.9	6.6
Apr	8.2	8.2	6.2	6.3
May	8.2	8.4	6.1	6.3
June	7.8	7.5	6.3	6.1
July	7.1	7.3	6.1	6.0
Aug	6.8	7.0	5.8	6.0

*Data not seasonally adjusted.
**Wharton (Chase) Econometrics Forecast (SEPT.), Data Resources Forecast (SEPT.).
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.

ILLINOIS UNEMPLOYMENT RATE* IN MSA's**

	Average Annual	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL: MSA													
1984	6.6	7.7	7.1	8.0	6.8	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.3	5.6	6.0	6.2	6.3
1985	6.2	7.4	7.1	5.8	6.7	6.5	6.2	5.7	5.7	5.2	5.6	6.6	6.0
1986	5.5	6.2	7.3	6.8	5.7	6.1	5.6	5.0	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.6	4.7
1987		5.7	5.3	4.8	5.1	5.4	4.8	4.7					
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA-RANTOUL: MSA													
1984	6.1	7.3	6.7	7.2	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.7	5.9	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.5
1985	5.5	6.3	6.0	4.8	5.4	6.0	5.7	5.7	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.7	5.0
1986	4.6	5.2	5.8	5.2	4.7	4.5	5.0	4.7	4.6	4.2	3.8	4.0	4.1
1987		5.3	5.2	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.3					
CHICAGO AREA: PMSA													
1984	8.4	9.6	9.1	9.6	8.7	8.3	8.4	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.4	7.4	7.6
1985	8.2	8.4	8.1	7.0	8.3	8.7	8.7	8.4	8.2	8.5	8.7	8.1	7.5
1986	7.4	7.6	8.7	8.0	7.5	7.6	7.8	7.2	7.3	7.4	6.9	6.4	6.2
1987		7.2	7.3	7.2	7.4	7.5	7.2	6.6					
DAVENPORT-ROCK ISLAND-MOLINE: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1984	14.1	16.6	15.3	15.3	13.8	12.4	12.1	12.1	11.5	13.1	13.7	15.9	17.7
1985	12.9	19.0	14.9	11.6	12.5	12.0	11.8	11.2	13.3	12.0	12.4	12.5	11.4
1986	11.3	13.4	15.3	12.8	11.7	10.4	10.5	10.2	11.6	11.8	9.7	9.2	9.2
1987		10.6	10.5	9.7	9.3	9.2	8.6	8.3					
DECATUR: MSA													
1984	10.4	12.8	12.0	12.6	10.5	9.7	9.4	10.3	9.4	9.7	9.7	9.3	9.3
1985	10.7	10.8	10.7	9.6	11.1	11.0	10.7	10.5	10.7	10.7	11.0	11.1	10.2
1986	10.6	10.6	12.4	11.4	10.8	11.2	10.9	10.3	11.8	11.1	9.7	8.9	8.5
1987		10.6	10.7	10.2	11.5	10.8	9.6	9.6					
PEORIA: MSA													
1984	11.3	14.4	13.2	13.7	12.4	11.2	11.0	10.7	10.2	9.7	10.1	9.4	9.9
1985	11.0	12.0	11.7	10.3	11.7	11.5	11.3	11.1	10.6	10.1	10.8	10.6	9.6
1986	9.0	9.9	11.4	10.3	9.0	9.1	9.0	8.4	8.5	9.2	7.6	7.3	7.8
1987		9.4	9.5	9.2	9.3	9.1	8.5	7.6					
ROCKFORD: MSA													
1984	9.4	11.3	10.8	11.1	10.0	9.0	8.9	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.9	8.2	8.6
1985	9.6	10.0	9.9	8.7	10.1	9.9	9.9	9.5	9.0	9.6	10.4	9.9	8.8
1986	8.7	9.2	10.5	9.6	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.3	8.4	8.7	8.3	7.9	7.6
1987		8.9	9.0	10.8	11.5	11.7	11.0	10.0					
SPRINGFIELD: MSA													
1984	7.0	8.3	7.6	8.3	7.5	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.4	6.9	6.1	6.6
1985	6.6	7.7	7.3	5.9	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.0	6.3	6.5	7.3	6.6
1986	5.7	6.5	7.7	6.7	5.8	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.5	4.8	4.9	4.9
1987		6.3	6.1	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.4	5.0					
ST. LOUIS: MSA (Illinois portion)													
1984	10.7	12.9	12.0	12.7	11.3	10.4	10.4	10.1	10.3	9.9	10.3	8.9	9.7
1985	11.5	13.0	12.6	10.3	11.6	11.9	12.5	11.2	10.8	10.5	11.0	11.6	10.5
1986	10.2	10.8	13.2	11.3	9.9	10.2	10.9	10.1	9.9	9.8	9.1	8.9	8.6
1987		10.5	10.4	10.1	10.3	10.1	9.9	8.7					

NOTE: For Kankakee and Lake County PMSA data see county. *Data not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Illinois Dept. of Employment Security. p - preliminary / r - revised
**Data for years prior to 1985 are for standard metropolitan statistical areas. Chicago Area from 1985 is defined as an average of rates for the PMSA's of Chicago, Lake, Aurora-Elgin and Joliet.

ILLINOIS

AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE*

				1987								
COUNTY	1984	1985	1986	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct
Adams	11.0	11.4	9.5	9.9	10.2	9.5	9.4	9.2	8.1	7.5			
Alexander	25.7	24.0	20.6	21.1	22.8	21.3	20.7	20.4	19.6	16.6			
Bond	11.9	11.9	11.1	11.9	11.7	11.7	12.3	11.1	10.3	8.8			
Boone	7.9	9.7	7.9	8.9	8.7	16.0	19.1	20.0	17.9	16.9			
Brown	9.6	10.5	8.3	10.4	11.4	9.1	12.1	10.7	8.7	7.0			
Bureau	9.8	10.2	9.4	10.7	11.7	10.9	9.9	8.9	7.9	6.8			
Calhoun	21.5	20.6	19.8	21.4	22.1	20.5	18.4	17.3	14.1	13.0			
Carroll	8.1	10.3	9.3	9.6	9.4	8.9	8.0	7.5	8.0	7.5			
Cass	9.8	9.6	9.8	11.9	12.6	12.2	24.1	23.8	16.2	14.2			
Champaign	6.0	5.5	4.6	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.3			
Christian	10.9	9.5	8.7	10.8	10.9	9.6	9.0	9.1	8.5	7.7			
Clark	15.9	14.7	13.2	15.3	16.0	14.8	14.7	12.5	12.2	10.7			
Clay	15.2	15.2	16.2	16.6	16.6	16.6	15.9	14.6	13.6	13.8			
Clinton	10.9	11.8	10.2	11.4	11.7	11.0	10.7	9.7	9.6	9.0			
Coles	8.2	9.0	8.3	8.6	8.3	7.9	7.9	7.7	7.6	6.5			
Cook	8.6	8.7	7.8	7.6	7.7	7.5	7.8	8.0	7.6	7.0			
Crawford	13.5	16.6	16.4	19.0	17.9	17.3	15.7	14.9	13.4	12.3			
Cumberland	13.3	13.2	12.4	12.6	13.3	11.8	12.0	9.6	9.5	7.9			
DeKalb	6.7	7.2	6.3	6.3	6.1	5.9	5.8	6.1	5.2	5.3			
DeWitt	10.0	11.0	13.3	11.9	12.3	12.3	11.3	11.6	11.0	8.5			
Douglas	7.8	8.9	8.0	9.1	9.1	7.7	8.4	7.5	7.2	5.6			
DuPage	6.2	5.0	4.6	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.1			
Edgar	15.7	15.8	12.8	15.4	16.5	15.3	13.7	13.1	11.3	10.2			
Edwards	11.1	11.6	12.8	13.2	13.5	13.9	14.2	13.4	10.1	9.2			
Effingham	10.7	10.7	9.6	10.3	10.1	9.1	8.7	7.9	6.8	6.0			
Fayette	16.4	15.2	16.5	18.3	18.7	17.5	16.9	14.8	14.3	12.6			
Ford	9.8	7.6	7.4	9.2	8.9	7.8	7.1	6.6	6.2	5.7			
Franklin	16.6	16.9	16.1	18.9	18.6	17.8	20.0	17.4	17.3	16.7			
Fulton	14.9	14.6	12.1	13.5	13.6	13.0	12.2	11.2	10.7	8.9			
Gallatin	19.4	16.6	17.6	18.4	18.1	18.3	18.8	17.3	16.5	15.7			
Greene	10.8	9.8	9.2	10.9	11.3	10.4	9.7	8.6	8.7	7.4			
Grundy	9.8	10.4	9.3	11.1	12.0	11.5	11.3	11.2	11.8	11.7			
Hamilton	18.9	19.6	20.1	24.0	24.4	24.5	25.6	20.8	19.5	17.2			
Hancock	10.2	9.7	9.6	9.2	10.3	9.4	9.7	8.7	6.9	6.1			
Hardin	18.0	16.3	15.0	14.0	14.0	14.7	15.1	15.1	13.7	12.9			
Henderson	12.2	12.3	11.4	9.8	10.7	9.9	10.2	9.5	8.6	6.3			
Henry	12.9	13.3	12.3	11.2	11.3	10.4	9.3	9.3	8.8	8.1			
Iroquois	8.9	8.7	8.3	10.2	9.9	9.3	8.9	8.9	7.9	6.7			
Jackson	8.7	8.8	8.3	9.4	9.2	8.9	9.0	9.3	8.6	8.0			
Jasper	12.5	13.9	12.4	12.4	12.1	11.1	9.8	9.5	10.8	11.0			
Jefferson	13.6	13.8	13.5	16.1	16.4	15.9	17.2	16.4	15.5	14.5			
Jersey	12.8	13.6	11.0	11.1	11.7	11.1	11.2	10.5	10.1	8.4			
Jo Daviess	8.8	9.1	8.3	9.5	9.5	9.8	7.9	7.0	5.9	5.4			
Johnson	17.7	15.5	15.0	19.6	20.1	17.9	19.5	19.5	17.2	14.8			
Kane	7.9	7.9	7.0	7.3	7.4	6.9	6.4	6.2	5.8	5.4			
Kankakee	12.2	11.6	10.1	10.0	10.3	9.8	10.2	10.1	9.7	8.9			
Kendall	6.6	7.2	6.3	6.5	6.5	6.1	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.1			
Knox	13.1	15.7	13.0	12.4	12.4	11.2	10.2	10.1	9.6	8.5			
Lake	6.1	5.9	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.7	4.2			
LaSalle	12.7	13.5	11.7	12.7	14.0	13.2	13.0	12.2	11.0	9.9			
Lawrence	12.6	17.5	19.9	20.7	20.5	19.5	18.6	17.5	16.3	14.0			
Lee	11.3	10.2	9.1	9.5	9.7	8.7	8.6	8.1	7.8	7.3			

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COUNTY	1984	1985	1986	1987 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct
Livingston	8.8	8.7	6.9	7.9	8.4	7.4	7.0	6.9	6.0	4.9			
Logan	9.6	9.0	7.1	8.9	8.2	6.8	7.3	6.6	5.5	5.2			
McDonough	11.1	10.0	7.9	7.4	7.2	8.2	6.7	7.0	8.1	7.5			
McHenry	7.3	7.7	6.3	7.2	7.6	6.9	6.4	5.9	5.4	5.3			
McLean	6.7	6.2	5.5	5.7	5.3	4.8	5.1	5.4	4.8	4.7			
Macon	10.3	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.2	11.5	10.8	9.6	9.6			
Macoupin	10.8	10.6	9.7	10.5	10.9	10.3	10.4	9.8	9.5	8.9			
Madison	10.9	11.2	9.9	10.1	10.0	9.6	9.7	9.3	9.3	8.3			
Marion	13.2	13.6	13.5	14.8	14.6	13.8	15.0	14.6	12.8	12.0			
Marshall	9.8	10.3	7.8	8.9	8.8	8.0	7.8	6.8	5.6	8.9			
Mason	10.7	12.5	12.3	13.6	13.6	11.8	11.8	11.0	10.2	9.7			
Massac	15.2	14.2	13.0	11.9	12.1	12.4	13.6	13.0	13.3	11.8			
Menard	6.0	7.6	6.9	10.1	9.9	8.2	6.8	6.9	5.5	5.3			
Mercer	14.1	12.7	12.2	12.5	12.8	12.2	9.7	8.6	7.7	7.6			
Monroe	9.4	9.1	8.7	10.5	10.0	9.1	8.7	8.4	8.4	6.9			
Montgomery	14.7	13.9	11.4	11.8	13.6	11.1	12.0	10.0	9.7	9.1			
Morgan	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.6	8.1	7.5	8.0	7.2	7.2	6.2			
Moultrie	8.6	7.9	8.4	10.1	9.4	8.6	7.4	6.6	6.4	5.3			
Ogle	9.4	9.0	9.1	9.4	9.6	8.8	9.3	10.0	9.1	7.6			
Peoria	11.3	11.0	9.0	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	8.7	7.8			
Perry	14.9	14.1	15.1	18.8	18.7	18.5	19.6	18.1	16.0	17.0			
Piatt	8.9	7.6	9.6	10.3	10.5	9.9	9.7	9.8	8.5	7.6			
Pike	13.9	13.7	12.0	14.1	15.1	13.3	14.4	13.1	11.6	11.0			
Pope	17.2	16.0	13.0	14.1	14.8	14.8	14.0	13.0	13.5	11.0			
Pulaski	22.0	22.6	18.7	16.8	16.0	16.6	17.4	19.3	19.3	18.8			
Putnam	11.0	12.0	11.2	13.9	14.1	13.2	12.7	11.4	10.0	9.5			
Randolph	10.5	9.3	9.5	11.4	11.3	10.3	11.8	13.0	11.3	9.3			
Richland	15.1	17.4	18.4	19.6	19.1	19.6	18.2	17.5	15.5	13.5			
Rock Isld	14.4	12.8	11.1	10.4	10.2	9.5	9.3	9.1	8.6	8.4			
St. Clair	10.2	11.8	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.4	11.0	11.0	10.6	9.4			
Saline	15.9	15.1	15.6	16.6	17.4	17.2	16.2	16.1	15.2	13.0			
Sangamon	7.1	6.6	5.6	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.4	4.9			
Schuyler	12.3	10.6	9.5	10.6	10.9	10.3	15.8	15.3	11.6	11.0			
Scott	9.5	10.6	9.3	12.1	12.2	9.8	9.0	7.5	7.1	6.2			
Shelby	12.8	11.4	10 8	12.7	13.0	10.9	10.0	9.2	8.7	7.3			
Stark	9.5	9.9	9.3	11.1	11.2	10.8	7.6	6.5	6.7	8.1			
Stephenson	7.6	9.7	8.0	7.3	7.4	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.9	7.1			
Tazewell	11.9	11.4	9.5	10.2	10.3	9.7	9.8	9.4	8.9	7.9			
Union	16.7	14 2	13.5	16.1	16.3	16.3	16.2	15.3	13.2	11.8			
Vermilion	13.0	14.0	12.9	13.3	14.0	13.2	13.6	13.4	13.2	11.8			
Wabash	10.4	12.3	12.9	13.5	14.2	13.6	13.3	13.5	13.0	12.0			
Warren	11.1	11.2	13.6	11.7	10.9	10.3	9.2	8.4	9.5	9.3			
Washington	12.1	10.2	9.3	12.0	12.0	11.7	12.3	11.6	10.8	9.6			
Wayne	16.4	16.6	17.3	17.7	18.5	18.1	18.3	16.1	14.2	13.4			
White	17.2	15.7	18.9	20.1	20.6	19.8	20.3	19.1	17.3	15.5			
Whiteside	12.2	12.7	9.0	8.5	8.2	7.9	7.6	7.9	7.1	7.1			
Will	8.6	8.2	7.2	7.9	8.4	8.3	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.6			
Williamson	17.4	16.6	13.9	14.4	14.7	14.1	15.6	14.7	14.4	17.3			
Winnebago	9.6	9.6	8.8	8.8	9.1	10.2	10.5	10.7	10.1	9.1			
Woodford	8.9	9.1	6.5	7.2	7.7	6.8	7.2	7.0	6.0	5.5			

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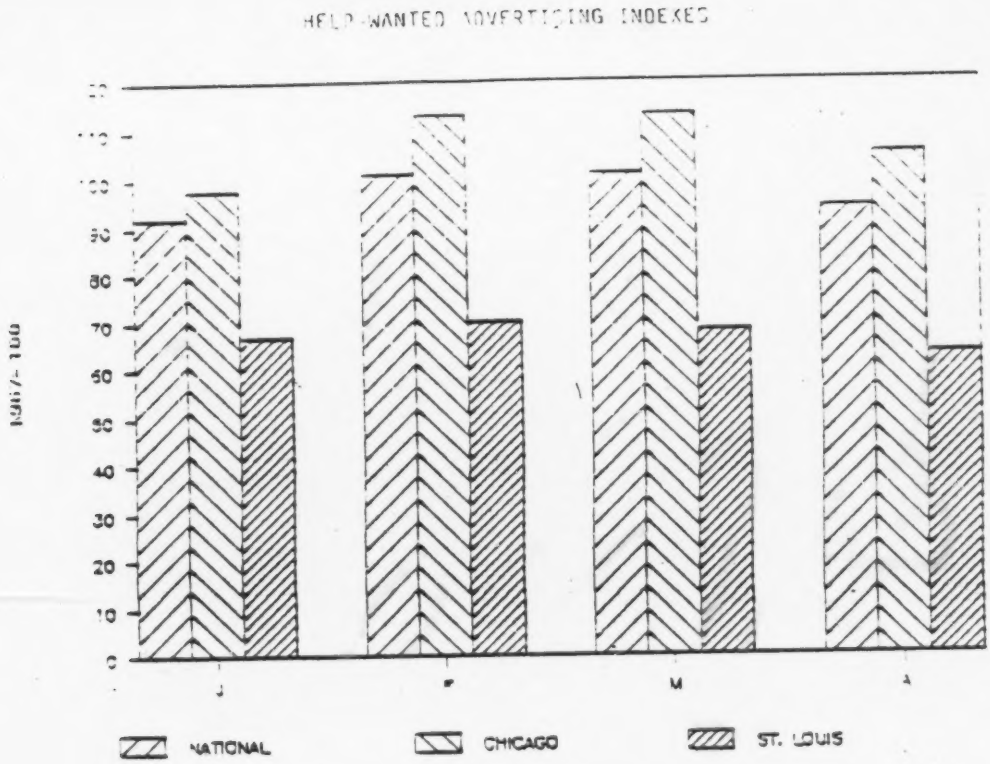
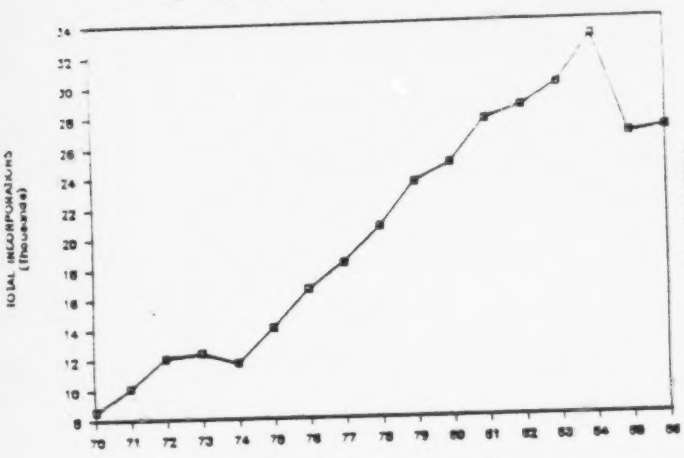


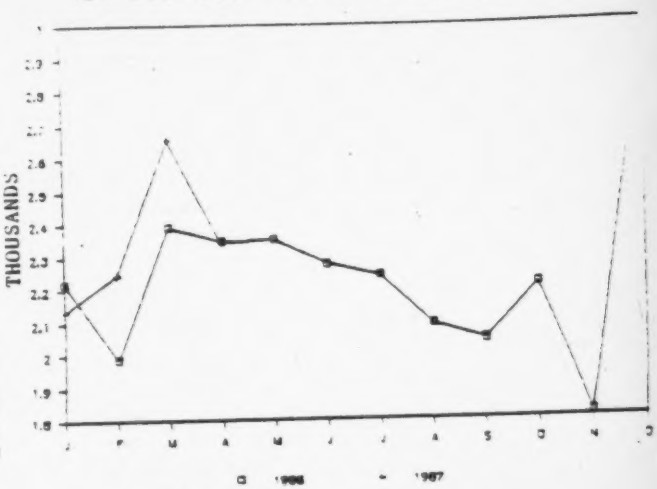
HELP-WANTED ADVERTISING INDEXES*
(Seasonally Adjusted, 1967=100)

Area		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
National Index (51 Papers)	1985	141	140	138	131	131	138	139	133	136	140	144	145
	1986	143	142	138	132	128	141	140	134	135	141	146	144
	1987	142	147	150	144	143							
East North Central (10 Papers)	1985	83	88	88	83	85	90	90r	86	85	86	93	96
	1986	90	92	91	90	86	96	94	92	90	93	99	102
	1987	92	101	101	94	97							
Chicago	1985	90	100	98	94	96	99	101	98	95	96	103	104
	1986	91	93	94	94	89	101	103	100	101	105	109	113
	1987	98	113	113	105	111							
St. Louis**	1985	51	72	72	64	64	73	67	65	67	64	64	67
	1986	69	70	70	65	65	70	65	64	62	63	71	62
	1987	67	70	68	63	63							

*The monthly classified help-wanted advertising total for one newspaper in each of 51 cities is used as the basis for city indexes and the national index is a composite of all 51 city indexes.
r - revised NA - not available
**St. Louis is in the West North Central region.
SOURCE: The Conference Board.

NEW BUSINESS INCORPORATIONS





ANNUAL

Year	Ill. Number	Percent Change ILL.	Percent Change U.S.
1970	8,585	1.5	-3.6
1971	10,116	17.8	9.1
1972	12,106	19.7	10.1
1973	12,376	2.2	3.8
1974	11,720	-5.3	-3.0
1975	14,022	19.6	2.2
1976	16,573	18.2	15.3
1977	18,291	10.4	16.1
1978	20,638	12.8	9.6
1979	23,559	14.2	9.7
1980	24,804	5.3	1.7
1981	27,632	11.4	9.0
1982	28,469	3.0	-2.5
1983	29,952	5.2	5.9
1984	32,948	10.0	5.8
1985	26,574R**	NCR**	5.3
1986	26,955	1.4	6.1

MONTH*

Month	1986	1987	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago ILL.	Percent Change from 1 Year Ago U.S.
Jan	2,220	2,135	-3.8	-10.5
Feb	1,987	2,245	13.0	0.5
Mar	2,392	2,658	11.1	7.0
Apr	2,349	2,339	-0.4	-1.8
May	2,352	2,129	-9.5	-6.5
June	2,276			
July	2,238			
Aug	2,089			
Sept	2,041			
Oct	2,211			
Nov	1,814			
Dec	2,986			
TOTAL	26,955			

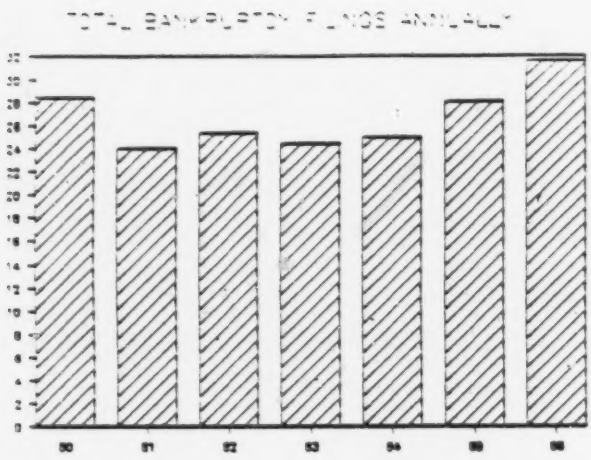
*Data are not seasonally adjusted.

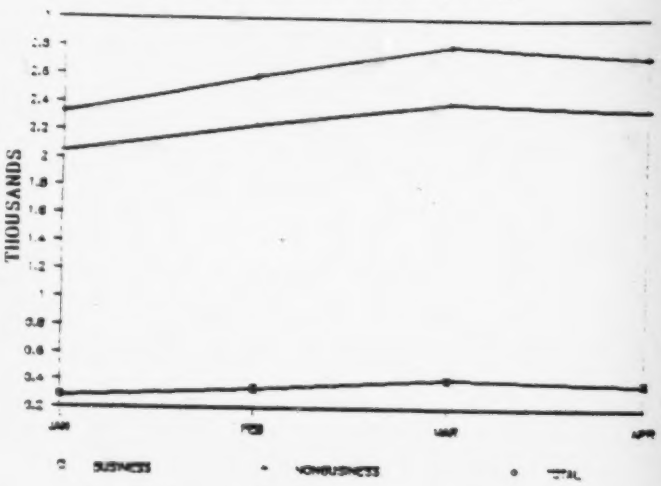
REGIONAL COMPOSITION
Percent of Total

Region	1979	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
New England	4.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.7	5.7
Middle Atlantic	17.2	16.5	16.8	17.5	17.7	18.0	18.2
E. North Central	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.5	12.3
W. North Central	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.8	4.9
South Atlantic	21.9	22.8	23.2	24.1	24.8	25.2	25.6
E. South Central	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9
W. South Central	11.6	11.9	13.1	11.5	9.9	9.6	10.0
Mountain	6.9	7.5	7.1	7.2	7.3	6.9	6.9
Pacific	14.6	14.2	13.0	12.6	13.0	12.4	12.5
U.S.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

SOURCE: Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.
**Since 1985, the annual figures are non-comparable (NC) to previous year's data due to a methodology change.

BANKRUPTCY FILINGS BY DISTRICT AND TYPE



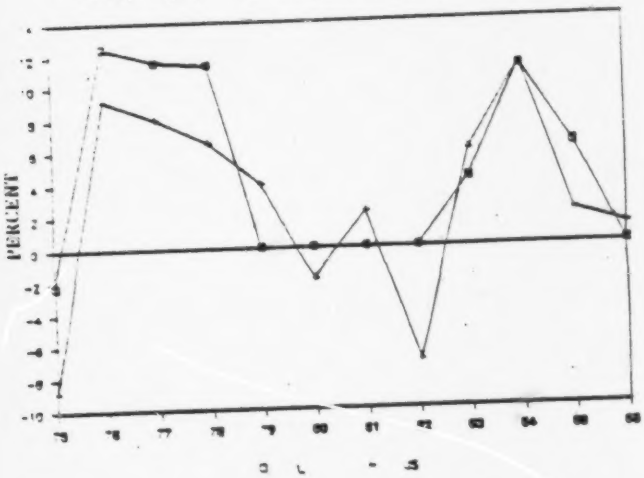


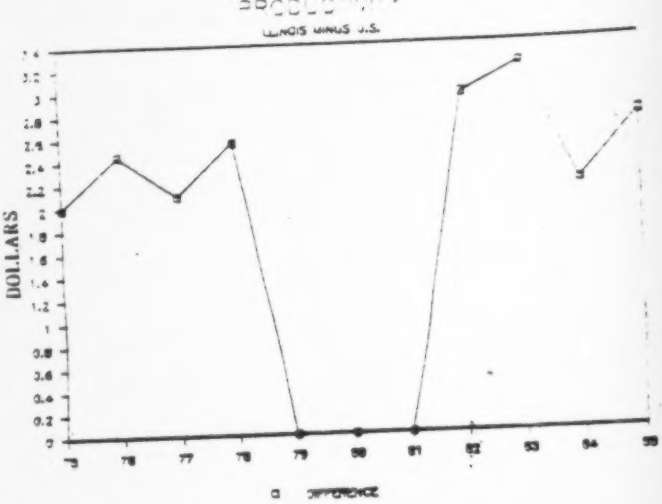
Annual	Business Filings			Nonbusiness Filings			Total Filings
	No.	Cen.	So.	No.	Cen.	So.	
1980	2377	821	343	17513	5175	2115	28344
1981	1698	693	263	15567	3826	1909	23956
1982	2232	879	389	16435	4067	1313	25315
1983	2199	917	438	15623	4023	1203	24403
1984	2012	1099	534	15994	4154	1194	24987
1985	2031	1422	549	17883	4765	1465	28115
1986	1782[p]	1361[p]	691[p]	20449[p]	5360[p]	1951[p]	31594

1986 Month	Business	Non-business	Total
Jan	333	2199	2532
Feb	341	2220	2561
Mar	331	2481	2812
Apr	349	2535	2884
May	332	2327	2659
Jun	289	2192	2481
Jul	329	2284	2613
Aug	299	2195	2494
Sep	301	2442	2743
Oct	305	2646	2951
Nov	288	2019	2307
Dec	337	2220	2557
1987			
Jan	290	2041	2331
Feb	341	2240	2581
Mar	411	2400	2811
Apr	380	2345	2725

SOURCE: U.S. District Courts

ILLINOIS
MANUFACTURING PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY





Year	-PRODUCTION- VALUE ADDED (million)	PERCENT CHANGE Ill.	PERCENT CHANGE U.S.	Inventories Ill. End of Year (million)	-PRODUCTIVITY*- Ill.	-PRODUCTIVITY*- U.S.	----U.S. MANUFACTURING--- Industrial Production Index (1977=100)	----U.S. MANUFACTURING--- Capacity Utilization Rate (Percent)
1975	$32,089	-2.2	-8.8	$11,198	20.38	18.38	84.8	72.3
1976	36,085	12.5	9.2	11,952	22.62	20.17	92.6	77.4
1977	40,279	11.6	8.0	13,028	24.02	21.93	100.0	81.4
1978	44,854	11.4	6.5	13,949	26.31	23.75	106.5	84.2
1979	NA	NA	3.9	NA	NA	26.39	110.7	84.6
1980	NA	NA	-1.9	NA	NA	28.93	108.6	79.3
1981	NA	NA	2.2	19,046	NA	31.93	111.0	78.3
1982	47,705	NA	-7.1	17,394	37.97	35.01	103.1	70.3
1983	49,734	4.2	5.9	17,207	40.59	37.38	109.2	74.0
1984	55,246	11.1	11.2	18,029	42.55	39.97	121.4	80.8
1985	55,589	0.6	2.0	16,785	44.87	42.13	123.8	80.3
1986			1.1				125.1	79.2

--U.S. MANUFACTURING, MINING AND UTILITIES-- (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

MONTHLY DATA	Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Industrial Prod. Index	'84	119.6	121.0	122.0	122.8	123.2	124.1	125.4	125.9	125.6	125.5	126.0	125.8
	'85	121.2	125.2	126.4	125.9	126.6	127.1	126.8	127.0	127.9	127.5	128.1	129.3
	'86	126.2	125.3	123.6	124.7	124.2	124.2	124.9	125.1	124.9	125.3	126.0	126.7
	'87	126.5	127.2	127.3	127.3	128.0	128.2						
Capacity Utilization Rate (%)	'84	79.2	80.0	80.4	80.7	80.7	81.1	81.7	81.8	81.3	81.1	81.2	80.9
	'85	80.7	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.3	80.1	80.1	80.7	80.4	79.6	80.1	80.5
	'86	80.7	80.0	79.1	79.5	79.1	79.0	78.5	79.2	79.0	79.0	79.3	79.6
	'87	79.4	79.7	79.6	79.5	79.9	80.1	80.5					

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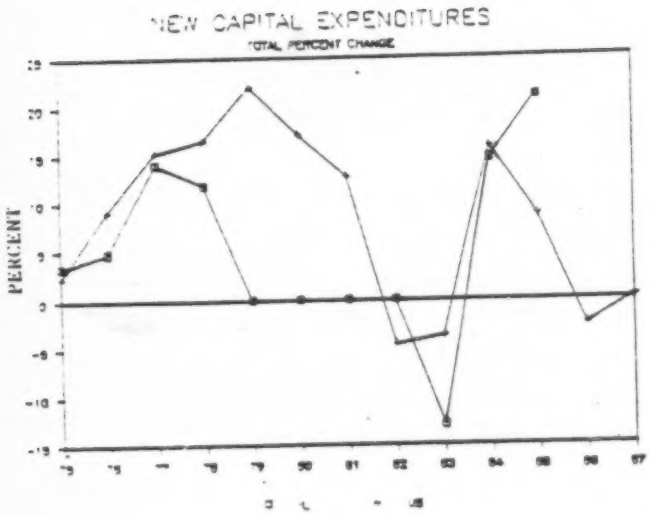
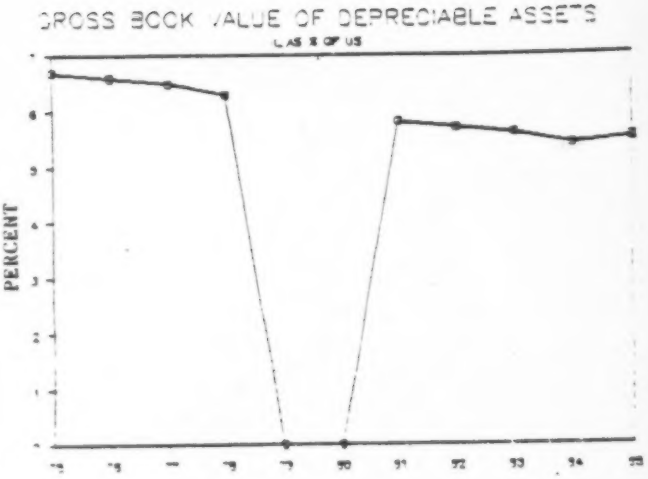
*Value of Production (Value Added) per manhour of work.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Annual Survey of Manufacturers and Federal Reserve System.





Year	(Millions of Dollars) Structures and Additions	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Total % Change Ill.	U.S.	(Millions of Dollars) Structures and Buildings	Machinery and Equipment	Total	Illinois Percent of U.S.
1975	$494	$1,734	$2,229	3.4	2.3	$7,172	$17,486	$24,658	6.7
1976	575	1,760	2,335	4.8	9.1	7,551	18,423	25,974	6.6
1977	531	2,131	2,662	14.0	15.3	8,029	20,298	28,327	6.5
1978	555	2,421	2,976	11.8	16.5	8,378	21,988	30,366	6.3
1979	NA	NA	NA	NA	22.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1980	NA	NA	NA	NA	17.1	NA	NA	NA	NA
1981	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.7	9,830	27,664	37,494	5.8
1982	556	2,815	3,372	NA	-4.6	10,107	29,245	39,352	5.7
1983	460	2,476	2,936	-12.9	-3.7	9,962	30,656	40,618	5.6
1984	612	2,752	3,364	14.6	15.8	9,993	31,528	41,521	5.4
1985	671	3,398	4,069	21.0	8.7	10,714	33,086	43,800	5.3
1986					-2.6				
1987**					0.2				

*Estimate prepared by Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs.
**Business plans to increase plant and equipment spending — U.S. Dept. of Commerce survey.
SOURCE: Annual Survey of Manufacturers, U.S. Department of Commerce.

INTEREST RATES
(Average Percent)

INSTRUMENT	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Federal Funds	9.06	10.22	8.10	6.80	6.43	6.10	6.13	6.37	6.85	6.73	6.58	6.73				
Discount Rate (NY Fed.)	8.50	8.80	7.69	6.33	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50				
Prime Rate	11.16	12.04	9.93	8.33	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.75	8.14	8.25	8.25	8.25				
U.S. Treas. Bills (Secondary Market)																
3 month	8.61	9.52	7.48	5.98	5.43	5.59	5.59	5.64	5.75	5.69	5.69	6.04				
6 month	8.73	9.76	7.65	6.03	5.44	5.59	5.60	5.90	6.11	5.99	5.76	6.15				
Eurodollar Depos. (3 mo.)	9.56	10.73	8.28	6.80	6.10	6.09	6.35	6.73	7.24	7.10	6.86	6.91				
Bankers Accept. (3 mo.)	1.89	8.90	7.92	6.39	5.74	5.99	6.09	6.41	6.91	6.83	6.59	6.64				
Commercial Paper																
1 month	8.87	10.05	7.94	6.62	5.95	6.12	6.22	6.39	6.83	6.86	6.57	6.62				
3 month	8.88	10.10	7.95	6.49	5.84	6.05	6.16	6.45	6.93	6.92	6.65	6.71				
6 month	8.89	10.16	8.01	6.39	5.76	5.99	6.10	6.50	7.04	7.00	6.72	6.81				
Certificates of Deposit																
3 month	9.07	10.37	8.05	6.52	5.87	6.10	6.17	6.52	6.99	6.94	6.70	6.75				
6 month	9.27	10.68	8.25	6.51	5.85	6.10	6.18	6.65	7.24	7.15	6.87	7.02				
U.S. Treasury Bonds																
1 year	9.57	10.89	8.43	6.46	5.78	5.96	6.03	6.50	7.00	6.80	6.68	7.03				
3 year	10.45	11.89	9.64	7.07	6.41	6.56	6.58	7.32	8.02	7.82	7.74	8.03				
10 year	11.10	12.44	10.62	7.68	7.08	7.25	7.25	8.02	8.61	8.40	8.45	8.76				
State & Local Bonds																
"Bond Buyer" Series	9.51	10.10	9.10	7.32	6.61	--	6.66	7.55	8.00	7.79	7.72	7.82				
Corporate Bonds AAA	12.04	12.71	11.37	9.02	8.36	8.38	8.36	8.85	9.33	9.32	9.42	9.67				
A rated Utility Bond*	12.73	13.81	12.06	9.61	--	--	8.84	9.51	10.05	10.05	10.17	10.37				
Conventional Mortgages	13.43	13.86	12.28	10.18	9.23	9.12	9.08	9.83	10.60	10.54	10.28	10.33				
Dividend/Price Ratio																
Preferred Stocks	11.02	11.59	10.49	8.76	7.91	7.93	7.52	7.94	8.41							
Common Stocks	4.40	4.64	4.25	3.48	3.17	3.02	2.90	2.99	3.02							

* Changed from AAA utility bonds because series was discontinued in January 1984.

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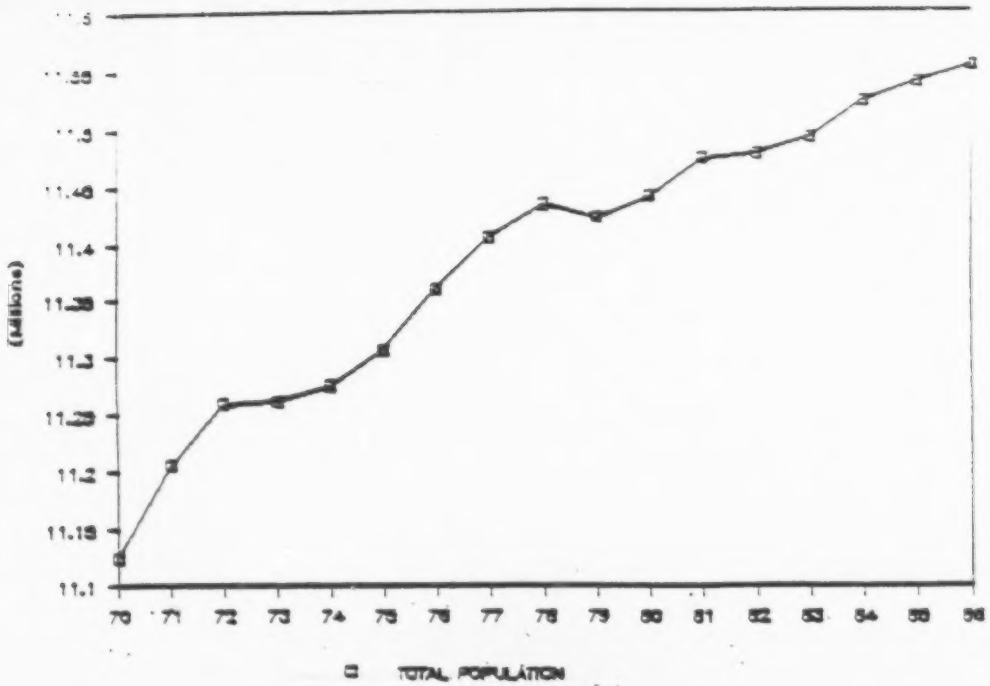
SOURCE: Federal Reserve System (Statistical Release, Bulletin).

ILLINOIS POPULATION



POPULATION
(thousands)

RESIDENT POPULATION OF ILLINOIS

Year		Total	Number Change	Black	Components of Change: Births	Deaths	Net Migration	Total Percent Change: Ill.	U.S.
1970	(July 1 EST.)	11,125*	+86	1,420	205,472	110,680	-13,800	0.8	1.2
1971	(July 1 EST.)	11,206	+81		195,322	109,848	-33,500	0.7	1.5
1972	(July 1 EST.)	11,258	+52		178,222	111,298	-64,900	0.5	1.2
1973	(July 1 EST.)	11,260	+ 2	1,499	169,249	110,510	-44,700	0.0	1.0
1974	(July 1 EST.)	11,274	+14		169,215	108,171	-29,000	0.1	0.9
1975	(July 1 EST.)	11,306	+32	1,534	169,420	103,552	-11,900	0.3	1.0
1976	(July 1 EST.)	11,360	+54		170,257	103,665	-20,600	0.5	1.0
1977	(July 1 EST.)	11,406	+46		177,393	103,423	-45,900	0.4	1.0
1978	(July 1 EST.)	11,434	+28		174,509	103,026	-82,500	0.2	1.1
1979	(July 1 EST.)	11,423	-11		184,210	102,227	-71,900	-0.1	1.1
1980	(July 1 EST.)	11,441*	+8	1,675	190,058	N/A	N/A	0.2	1.2
1981	(July 1 EST.)	11,474	+33		N/A	N/A	-64,000	0.3	1.0
1982	(July 1 EST.)	11,479	+5		N/A	N/A	-86,000	0.0	1.0
1983	(July 1 EST.)	11,492	+13		N/A	N/A	-62,000	0.1	1.0
1984	(July 1 EST.)	11,524	+32				-35,000	0.3	0.9
1985	(July 1 EST.)	11,537	+13				N/A	0.1	1.0
1986	(July 1 EST.)	11,552	+15					0.1	1.0

*April 1, 1970 Census 11,110,258.
*April 1, 1980 Census 11,426,518.

PROJECTIONS	Illinois Bureau of the Budget	National Planning Assoc.	U.S. Department of Commerce Projection	Percent of U.S. Total
1990	11,688	N/A	11,617	4.66
2000	12,091	11,900	11,774	4.40
2010	12,554	N/A	N/A	N/A

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census - Estimates and Projections.
U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

ILLINOIS EXPORTS

AGRICULTURE (millions)

Product	FY 1972	FY 1982	FY 1986	1986 Ill. as % of U.S.
Soybean & Prod.	$404	$1482	$1016	18.2
Feed Grains	214	1284	814	17.3
Wheat & Flour	28	309	73	2.1
Meats & Prod.	13	45	47	3.5
Hides & Skins	8	26	48	3.3
Feeds & Fodders	NA	50	46	8.3
Fats & Oils	10	22	17	3.6
Other	81	81	92	1.1
TOTAL	$758	$3313	$2153	8.2
ILLINOIS RANK	(1)	(2)	(2)	

EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO EXPORTS (thousands)

	1977	1981	1983
Agriculture*	75.6	72.6	N/A
Manufacturing	140.1	157.0	108.9
Trade	30.9	48.0	39.7
Business Services	15.2	32.6	16.5
Transp., Com., & Util.	13.0	15.5	11.6
Other	21.7	22.3	19.7
TOTAL	296.5	348.0	
Percent of Total Employment	6.0%	6.8%	

MANUFACTURING EXPORTS (millions)

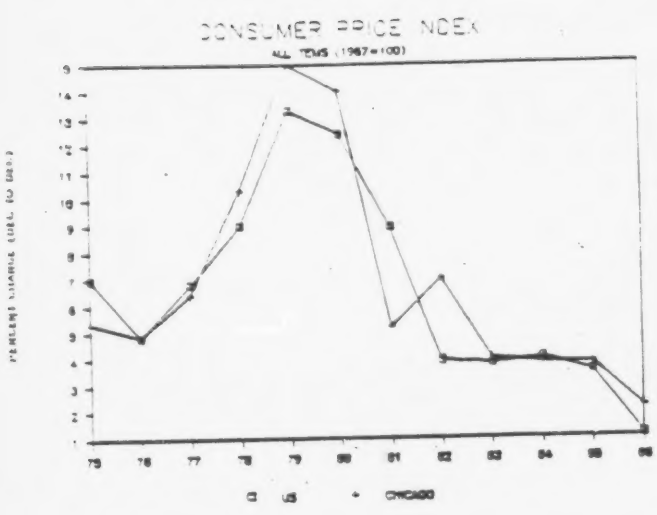
	1977 Direct	1977 Supporting	1977 Total	1983 Direct	1983 Supporting	1983 Total	Total Exports as % of Ill. Shpmts. 1983	Employment Related to Mfg. Exports (thousands) 1977	1983
Machines, exc. Elec.	$2,892	$ 566	$3,458	$2,139	$ 662	$ 2,801	20.2	40.8	26.6
Primary Metal	186	1,088	1,273	222	1,090	1,312	18.2	14.0	9.5
Chemical & Allied	407	353	760	568	784	1,352	12.0	6.7	5.1
Elec. Equip.	532	315	847	796	370	1,166	11.6	17.4	15.5
Food & Kindred	736	196	932	818	291	1,109	5.5	3.5	2.8
Fabricated Metal	323	594	917	315	733	1,048	10.6	15.8	12.3
Transp. Equip.	461	93	554	557	155	712	11.4	4.9	4.7
Rubber & Plastic	74	143	217	159	276	434	11.2	4.5	4.2
Petroleum & Coal	53	145	198	38	361	399	3.7	0.3	0.3
Instruments	254	57	312	243	67	310	12.5	6.7	4.3
Paper & Allied	35	141	176	33	238	270	7.6	2.5	2.3
Other	360	212	572	474	293	770	4.9	23.0	21.0
TOTAL	$6,313	$3,903	$10,216	$6,363	$5,320	$11,683	10.1	140.1	108.9

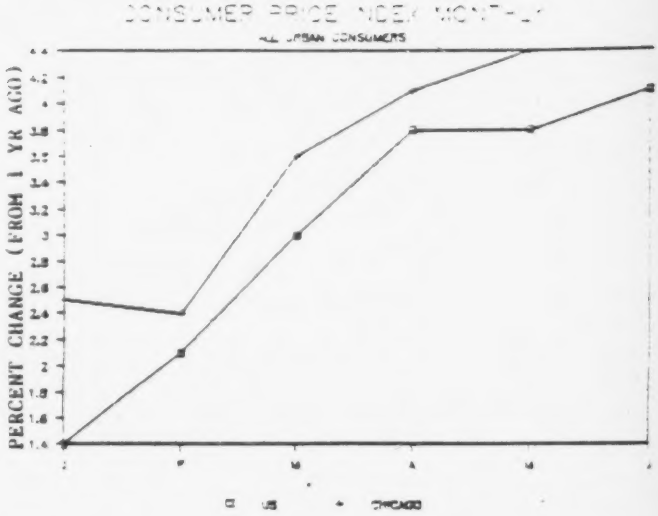
TOTAL EXPORTS (millions)

	1977	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Agriculture	$2,752	$2,923	$3,645	$3,614	$3,313	$2,950	$2,930	$2,341	$2,153
Manufacturing	10,216	13,695*	16,445	17,039	16,511	11,683	12,541*	11,837*	NA
Direct)	(6,313)	NA	(10,084)	(10,369)	(9,300)	(6,362)	NA	NA	NA
Indirect	(3,903)	NA	(6,360)	(6,670)	(7,211)	(5,320)	NA	NA	NA
Gross Total	12,788	16,618	20,090	20,653	19,824	14,633	15,471	14,178	NA
Less Duplication**	-1029	-1,397*	-1,796	-1,534	-1,438	1,109	-1,160*	-1,063*	NA
Net Total	$11,759	$15,221	$18,294	$19,119	$18,386	$13,524	14,311	13,115	NA
ILLINOIS RANK	(2)	(NA)	(3)	(3)	(NA)	(5)			

*Estimates prepared by Department of Commerce and Community Affairs
**Both Agriculture and Manufacturing include processed foods.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce.
NOTE: Totals from figures in parentheses may not add due to rounding.

U. S. AND CHICAGO AREA INDEX
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
ALL ITEMS





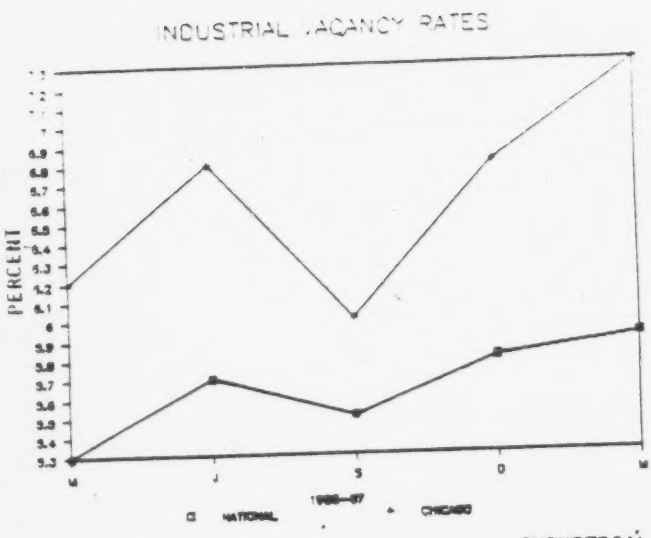
ALL URBAN
ANNUAL
(1967=100)

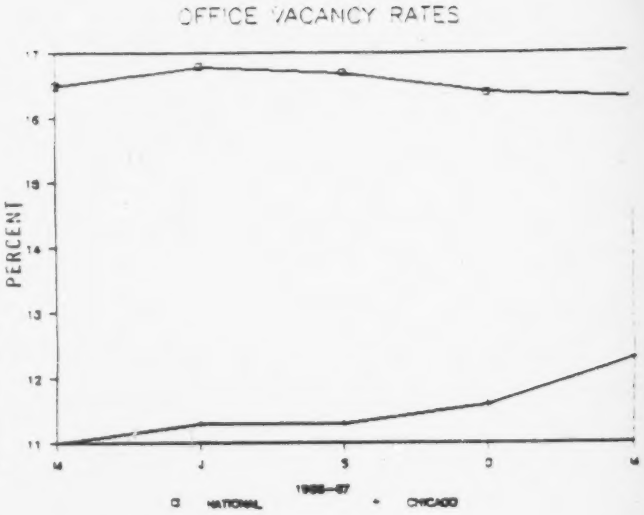
Year	U.S.	CHICAGO	% Change from Preceeding Period** U.S.	CHICAGO
1975	161.2	157.6	7.0	5.3
1976	170.5	165.1	4.8	4.8
1977	181.5	175.6	6.8	6.4
1978	195.4	190.7	9.0	8.6
1979	217.4	214.6	13.3	12.5
1980	246.8	245.5	12.4	14.4
1981	272.4	269.0	8.9	9.6
1982	289.1	287.4	6.2	6.8
1983	298.4	298.8	3.2	4.0
1984	311.1	310.1	4.3	3.8
1985	322.2	321.8	3.5	3.8
1986	328.4	328.5	1.1	1.6
1987***			3.8, 3.8	4.4
1988***			4.9, 4.6	5.0
1989***			5.0, 4.8	3.6
1990***			4.2	3.9

1987
MONTH
(1967=100)

	ALL URBAN U.S. INDEX	ALL URBAN U.S. % Chge from 1 yr. ago	ALL URBAN CHICAGO INDEX	ALL URBAN CHICAGO % Chge from 1 yr. ago	URBAN WAGE EARNERS U.S. INDEX	URBAN WAGE EARNERS U.S. % Chge from 1 yr. ago	URBAN WAGE EARNERS CHICAGO INDEX	URBAN WAGE EARNERS CHICAGO % Chge from 1 yr. ago
Jan	333.1	1.4	334.3	2.5	327.7	1.0	319.1	2.0
Feb	334.4	2.1	334.2	2.4	329.0	1.8	319.0	2.0
Mar	335.9	3.0	335.5	3.6	330.5	2.8	320.1	3.4
Apr	337.7	3.8	337.1	4.1	332.3	3.7	321.6	4.0
May	338.7	3.8	338.4	4.4	333.4	3.7	322.7	4.2
Jun	341.4	4.1	345.0	4.4	336.1	4.1	328.9	4.2
Jul	340.8	3.9	346.1	4.5	335.6	3.9	330.0	4.4

*As of Jan. 1, 1987, the Chicago Area Index was expanded to cover Cook, DuPage, Kane, Kendall, Grundy, Lake, McHenry and Will Counties in Illinois; Lake and Porter Counties in Indiana; and Kenosha County in Wisconsin.
**Annual changes are from Dec. to Dec. (unadjusted).
***Wharton (Chase) Econometric Forecast (SEPT.), Data Resources Forecast (SEPT.), Average annual changes.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor.





INDUSTRIAL VACANCY RATES*

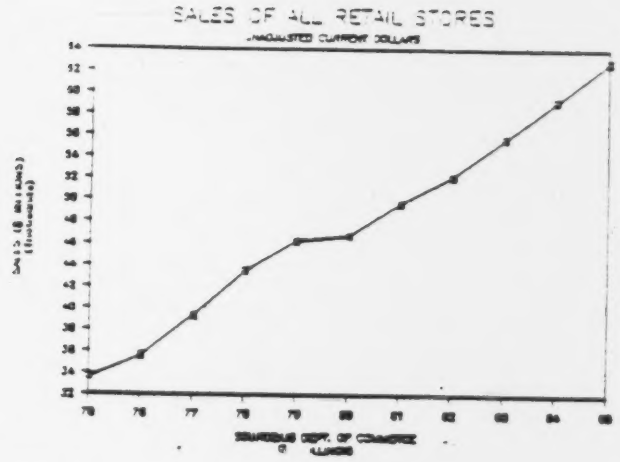
	1984				1985				1986				1987		
	M	J	S	O	M	J	S	O	M	J	S	O	M	J	S
National	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.7	5.5	5.8	5.9	6.1	
Chicago	7.6	7.7	7.4	7.5	6.1	6.2	5.9	5.8	6.2	6.8	6.0	6.8	7.3	7.9	
Long Island	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.2	4.9	4.4	3.4	2.7	3.0	3.4	4.0	3.5	4.8	5.1	
Southern California	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5	5.4	5.9	5.6	6.3	6.1	6.7	
Philadelphia	4.7	4.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.0	3.5	3.8	3.3	3.3	2.9	3.3	3.1	
Houston	5.4	4.8	6.0	7.7	13.5	14.8	15.0	14.1	14.5	14.0	15.3	14.9	14.4	15.3	
St. Louis	6.2	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	6.3	6.7	6.6	6.7	4.7	5.4	

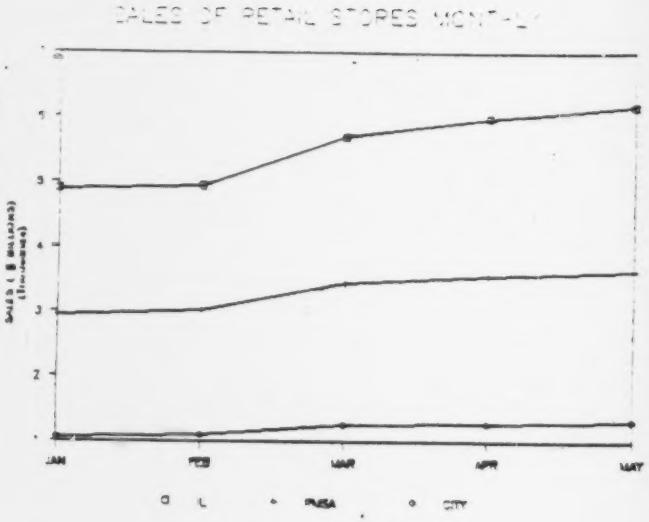
*Percentage of vacant or available space to total amount of industrial space in buildings of 100,000 sq. ft. or more in selected metro areas.

DOWNTOWN OFFICE VACANCY RATES**

	1984				1985				1986				1987		
	M	J	S	O	M	J	S	O	M	J	S	O	M	J	S
National	13.1	13.5	14.2	14.7	15.4	16.1	16.5	16.5	16.5	16.8	16.7	16.4	16.3	16.3	
Manhattan Downtown	4.5	6.5	7.1	8.3	8.5	10.4	10.0	11.1	10.8	11.2	10.2	9.9	9.8	10.6	
Chicago	10.7	10.8	10.1	10.4	10.5	11.0	9.4	10.6	11.0	11.3	11.3	11.6	12.3	11.1	
Suburban	14.1	13.4	13.8	16.8	18.7	19.0	18.9	21.7	20.9	21.4	22.5	26.1	25.0	22.5	
Los Angeles	12.2	11.8	12.9	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.5	18.2	18.5	15.9	17.5	15.0	14.6	14.5	
Phil'phia	8.8	9.6	10.1	9.0	8.0	8.2	8.8	10.2	9.2	10.8	11.1	9.3	9.0	8.9	
Houston	18.5	21.1	20.9	20.9	19.5	20.2	19.3	20.2	19.1	18.8	18.4	20.0	22.1	21.8	
St. Louis	10.5	9.5	10.7	9.8	11.0	10.9	10.4	10.8	11.0	16.5	20.2	20.1	17.8	20.0	

**Percentage of vacant space for lease or rent to total square footage in office buildings surveyed in selected downtown areas. r: revised
SOURCE: Coldwell Banker.





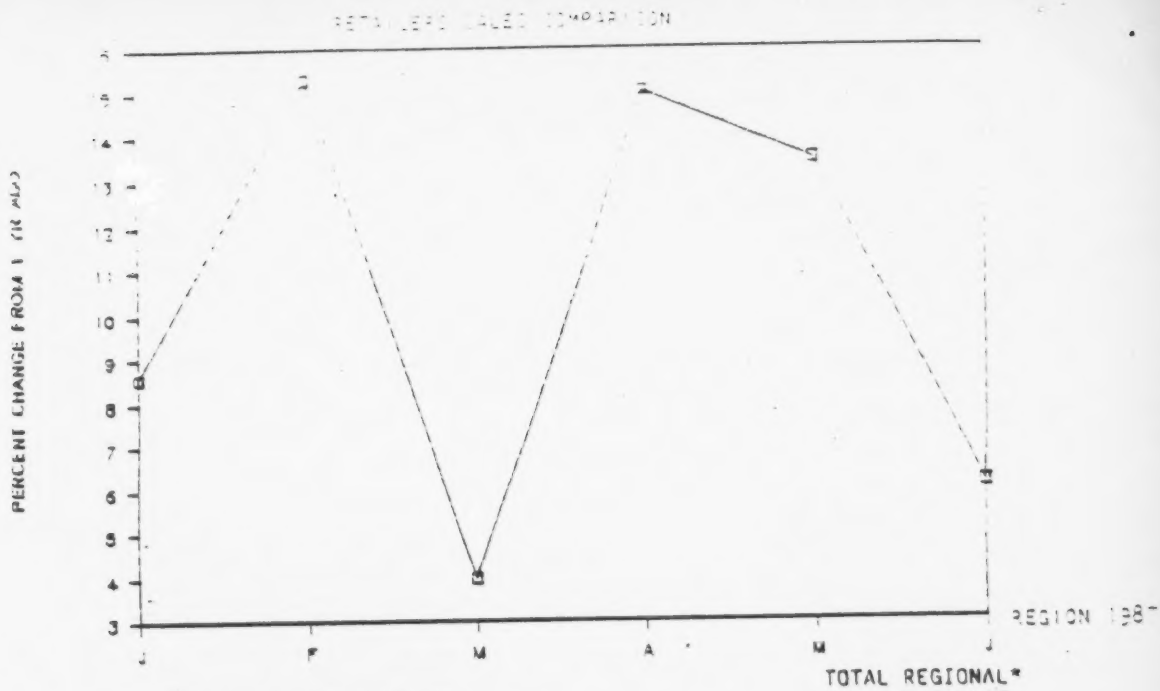
ANNUAL
(millions)

Year	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago SMSA*	Chicago City	U.S.
	------AMOUNT----------			--PERCENT CHANGE---			
1978	$43,463	$28,721	$ 10,676	10.5	10.4	13.1	11.2
1979	46,216	30,992	10,880	6.3	7.9	1.9	11.4
1980	46,742	31,365	10,606	1.1	1.2	-2.5	6.7
1981	49,715	32,325	10,821	6.4	3.1	2.0	8.5
1982	52,195	34,538	10,850	5.0	6.8	0.3	3.0
1983	55,696	36,799	11,033	6.7	6.6	1.7	9.5
1984	59,263	39,604	12,341	6.4	7.6	11.9	10.1
1985	62,896	41,731	12,452	6.1	5.4	0.9	6.2
1986							5.2

MONTH*
(millions)
1987

Mo.	Ill.	Chicago PMSA	Chicago City	Ill.	Chicago PMSA	Chicago City	U.S.
				Percent Change from 1 Year Ago			
Jan	$4,892	$2,946	$1,075				-0.3
Feb	4,952	3,022	1,101				6.2
Mar	5,713	3,458	1,257				4.8
Apr	6,000	3,586	1,277				7.7
May	6,184	3,656	1,312	4.0	5.8	0.7	2.3
Jun							5.5p

*SMSA data will not be revised for new PMSA/NSA/CSA configurations until 1987.
p=preliminary r=revised
*Data are not adjusted for seasonal variations, holidays, or trading-day differences.
SOURCE: Monthly Retail Trade, U.S. Department of Commerce.



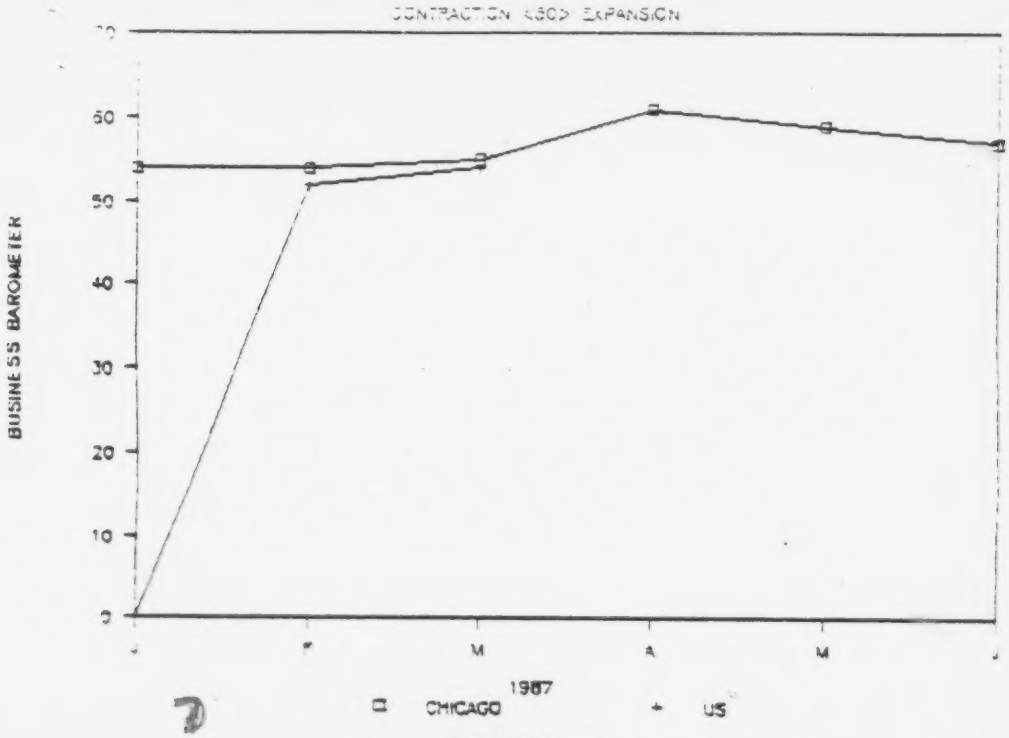
GROSS SALES RECEIPTS
--AVERAGE % CHANGE FROM 1 YEAR AGO----------

TOTAL REGIONAL* AVERAGE CHANGE IN SALES BY TYPE

MONTH	REGION*	CHICAGO	NO. ILL.	CEN./ SOUTH	DEPT.	SPECIALITY	OTHER
1984	8.28%	8.99%	6.11%	6.34%	8.91%	2.37%	3.85%
1985	4.93	5.94	2.05	2.91	5.12	4.92	1.92
1986	5.61	6.56	4.38	0.65	6.06	1.70	0.63
1986							
JAN	0.64	0.23	0.13	6.48	1.33	-11.26	4.96
FEB	3.90	3.24	6.12	2.85	4.33	5.62	4.27
MAR	3.99	3.56	5.10	7.50	4.56	1.99	-9.33
APR	-3.71	-4.85	1.33	-1.00	-4.46	-2.21	7.04
MAY	2.57	2.22	3.67	4.15	2.32	0.99	7.81
JUNE	1.87	1.18	4.90	3.55	1.58	6.27	0.98
JULY	3.06	3.52	3.86	-2.11	3.66	-2.40	-1.81
AUG	4.13	4.92	3.37	2.23	4.47	3.38	-3.00
SEPT	6.82	8.50	1.78	2.89	7.81	-1.44	NA
OCT	6.97	7.06	9.02	2.51	7.19	7.33	0.87
NOV	4.88	6.04	3.22	-1.14	5.08	1.70	4.39
DEC	8.66	11.18	3.84	-4.22	8.95	3.06	9.46
1987							
JAN	8.58	7.81	13.99	4.08	8.63	7.14	9.77
FEB	15.30	18.47	9.94	-2.85	16.24	9.22	0.72
MAR	3.98	5.47	0.67	-4.22	4.00	4.82	2.02
APR	15.02	16.26	14.50	4.36	15.60	7.13	12.23
MAY	13.47	16.17	6.82	4.96	14.17	6.25	7.39
JUN	6.12	7.71	2.89	0.41	5.75	3.79	11.59
JUL	6.31	7.41	6.37	0.12	5.43	14.43	10.90
Year to Date	9.63	10.88	8.08	3.00	9.33	11.22	12.62

*Regional figures include Chicago, Northern IL, Central/Southern Illinois, and Northern Indiana.
SOURCE: Illinois Retail Merchants Association.

PURCHASING MANAGERS SURVEY



1985-1987**

		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
BAROMETER (Composite Index* of Business Activity)													
CHICAGO	1985	51	51	50	49	50	51	45	49	50	47	54	55
	1986	56	62	55	57	55	56	56	57	55	56	56	55
	1987	54	54	55	61	59	57						
U.S.	1985	53	50	48	47	47	47	47	47	51	52	53	51
	1986	52	51	50	49	54	50	47	---	---	---	51	52
	1987	---	52	54									

1986-1987
CHICAGO SERIES ITEM INDEX*

	1986						1987						
	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J
PRODUCTION	50	57	55	58	56	56	54	60	66	62	62	62	
NEW ORDERS	51	57	54	57	58	53	56	60	66	66	60	58	
ORDER BACKLOG	47	51	50	50	53	48	49	52	56	54	54	50	
INVENTORIES	50	50	47	45	50	52	49	54	56	56	56	55	
EMPLOYMENT	46	47	49	48	45	46	44	54	56	55	53	50	
VENDOR DEL.	47	49	49	46	44	44	44	48	45	43	40	43	
PRICES PAID	57	58	56	62	56	58	70	68	72	71	71	74	

*Index of 50 or above indicates expansion, less than 50 means contraction
**Barometer data are seasonally adjusted; all other data are not seasonally adjusted.
SOURCE: Purchasing Management Association of Chicago

ILLINOIS
STATE GOVERNMENT

STATE TRANSACTIONS - GENERAL FUNDS, 1986 -1987
(millions)

	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug
BEGINNING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$245	$283	$288	$336	$ 99	$194	$ 78	$ 80	$ 99	$145	$ 74	$186	$197	$133	$154	$152
Revenues:																
Income Tax	345	350	243	236	340	256	211	330	422	253	381	501	401	382	253	252
Sales Tax	237	310	269	257	281	329	228	330	263	242	252	251	251	303	302	270
Other	116	125	106	106	112	146	78	126	128	66	131	140	107	137	88	112
Transfers In	67	68	40	54	63	58	52	68	51	208	73	62	56	82	41	194
Federal	134	132	130	137	141	135	150	128	115	149	129	132	108	140	120	126
TOTAL REVENUES	899	985	788	790	937	924	719	982	979	918	966	1086	923	1,044	804	954
Expenditures:																
Public Aid	254	217	285	242	264	242	198	234	276	244	250	256	261	214	267	245
Common School Fund	163	326	--	265	89	177	177	202	178	177	177	177	177	354	--	314
Operations	209	183	233	266	275	272	200	252	253	262	250	267	246	235	230	268
Other	183	202	141	188	151	266	90	211	157	209	118	292	221	168	223	198
Transfers Out	52	52	81	66	63	83	52	64	69	97	59	83	82	52	86	64
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	861	980	740	1027	842	1040	717	963	933	989	854	1075	987	1,023	806	1,089
ENDING AVAILABLE BALANCE	$283	$288	$336	$ 99	$194	$ 78	$ 80	$ 99	$145	$ 74	$186	$197	$133	$154	$152	$17

STATE EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL

	ALL AGENCIES					
	TOTAL		EXCEPT EDUCATION		EDUCATION	
1986	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)	Employees	Payrolls (000)
January	116,300	$212,799	78,417	$152,558	37,963	$60,241
February	118,828	213,127	78,514	151,980	40,314	61,147
March	118,977	214,408	78,626	152,599	40,351	61,809
April	119,086	213,567	78,643	152,107	40,443	61,460
May	118,170	214,488	79,113	153,307	39,057	61,181
June	112,134	216,260	80,574	158,350	31,560	57,910
July	111,349	212,380	80,472	156,138	30,877	56,242
August	115,427	219,134	80,686	157,380	34,741	61,754
September	119,339	224,265	78,868	157,778	40,471	66,487
October	120,414	226,730	78,534	159,470	41,716	67,261
November	118,737	229,013	78,758	162,169	39,979	66,844
December	120,048	230,735	78,921	163,205	41,127	67,530
1987						
January	116,874	$226,444	78,852	$163,007	38,022	$63,437
February	119,310	227,651	78,976	163,705	40,334	63,945
March	119,989	227,801	79,489	163,585	40,500	64,215
April	120,071	227,482	79,906	163,364	40,165	64,118
May	119,590	231,022	79,777	164,458	39,813	66,564
June	114,661	232,954	81,503	169,025	33,158	63,929

SOURCE: Office of the Comptroller

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